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The Elba Clipper will provide
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As of Tuesday evening, March 17th

ADPH provides latest recommendations concerning COVID-19 outbreak

by Linda Hodge, Editor

In response to the increasing number of positive cases of COVID-19 in Alabama, The Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) had made the following recommendations concerning public gatherings, food establishment and other retail venues, and businesses [as of The Elba Clipper's press time Tuesday, March 17]:

- No mass gatherings of 50 persons or more, or gatherings of any size that cannot maintain a consistent six-foot distance between participants (with exceptions noted below). This may include festivals, parades, assemblies, or sporting events.

- Senior adults or those with chronic health problems should avoid gatherings (outside of close family) of 10 or more persons, and should avoid travel by air, train or bus.

- For retail business, including restaurants, limit patronage at any one time to 50% of the normally allowable capacity. Restaurants should maintain a six-foot distance between tables.

- Public buildings should consider whether visitation may be limited. Hospitals, nursing homes and assisted living facilities are encouraged to implement visitation policies that protect

COVID-19 Testing

Call the Alabama COVID-19 24/7 hotline at 1-888-264-2256 for testing sites and hours of operation.

For more information on testing for COVID-19, visit COVID-19 Testing. If you recently traveled to one of these affected geographic areas within the last 14 days, visit COVID-19 Resources for Travelers.

Situation Summary

In December 2019, a new (or novel) human coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) type emerged in China. At this time, it's unclear how easily this virus is spreading between people. Patients with confirmed COVID-19 infection have reportedly had mild to severe respiratory illness with symptoms of fever, cough, and shortness of breath appearing anywhere from 2 to 14 days after exposure. Learn more about coronaviruses, how they present, and how they are tested by visiting Human Coronaviruses.

This is an emerging, rapidly evolving situation. The Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) and the CDC are providing updated information and guidance as it becomes available.

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in Alabama	
Updated: March 17, 2020 3:30 p.m. (CT)	
County of Residence	Cases
Baldwin	1
Elmore	2
Lee	3
Jefferson	21
Limestone	1
Madison	1
Montgomery	2
Shelby	4
St. Clair	1
Tuscaloosa	3
Total	39
Deaths: 0	

vulnerable persons.

- All persons should consider whether out-of-state travel plans may be delayed or cancelled.

- Participants in religious services or events, weddings, funerals and family events should exercise prudence and maintain consistent six-foot distance between participants if possible.

- While workplaces should attempt to heed to these recommendations whenever possible, it is understood

that exceptions may be needed for essential government functions, municipal and state legislative bodies, and health care facilities including clinics, hospitals and pharmacies. Consider using means for electronic or video meetings in work places if possible.

ADPH continues to work with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and other agencies to provide guidance regarding COVID-19. As of 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, there were 39

confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Alabama (see graphic for breakdown by county), however, no deaths had been reported in the state as a result of the virus at that time.

Officials said it is most important at this time for citizens to know that "if a person has COVID-19 symptoms, they should call their primary health care provider or urgent care facility. Do not go to the nearest primary health care provider, emergency department or urgent care clinic before calling."

Early Tuesday morning, Governor Kay Ivey released a statement on updated guidelines in Alabama's efforts to flatten the curve during the COVID-19 situation. Out of an abundance of caution, she said ADPH had recommended against gatherings of 25 persons or more where a 6-foot distance cannot be maintained for Jefferson County [thus far the hardest hit county in Alabama] and its surrounding counties of Tuscaloosa, Walker, Blount, St. Clair and Shelby.

Additionally, the governor said [for the above-mentioned counties] any restaurant, bar, brewery or Category 3 food service establishment shall not permit

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Elba City Schools closing for two and a half weeks under advisement from state due to COVID-19 outbreak concerns

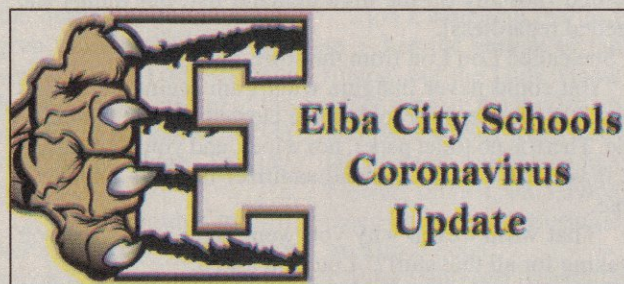
by Linda Hodge, Editor

Elba City Schools superintendent Chris Moseley first addressed concerns surrounding COVID-19 [coronavirus] Friday, March 13, involving activities for Elba City Schools. He has continued to update local citizens as new developments arise [almost daily].

"As we have worked daily on our precautions as

a system, we have also continued to monitor updates from the Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) and the State Department of Education," Moseley said. "The latest updates have advised us of two items in particular."

Currently, the superintendent said the advisement to schools is to base any cancellations and/or postponements of activities on the target date of through



April 30, 2020. He said things could certainly change between now and then and that date be lifted, but for now, it is the date the state department officials are advising to go with for cancellations and/or postponements.

On March 13th, Moseley said state officials had advised canceling or limiting any event where it would be expected to have 500 or more people gathered. He said this would include performances, plays, athletics, conferences, etc. He added that amended activities may still be appropriate if attendance is limited.

That number, proposed by ADPH, dropped to gatherings of 50 as of Monday

of this week.

Also, Moseley said the state advised postponing or canceling any and all field trip, whether inside or outside the state [through April 30th].

"As a superintendent, we all felt like this was coming," Moseley said. "We hate it, but the safety of our children has to come first."

Moseley said he had met with administrators and

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New date scheduled for Saturday, May 9th Elba's Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car show postponed

Due to the ongoing coronavirus [COVID-19] pandemic, Elba's 2nd Annual Spring Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car Show has been postponed until Saturday, May 9th.

The event originally was set for this Saturday, March 21, in downtown Elba.

On Saturday, May 9, the event, presented by the Foggy Bottom Cruisers, will be held on the square in downtown Elba from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Car registration will be from 8-10 a.m. There is a \$20 fee to enter the car show, and all proceeds will benefit the Elba Public Library.

Trophies will be awarded to the winners of the car show - all makes and models of cars and trucks welcome!

There also will be arts and crafts exhibits on the

square during the event.

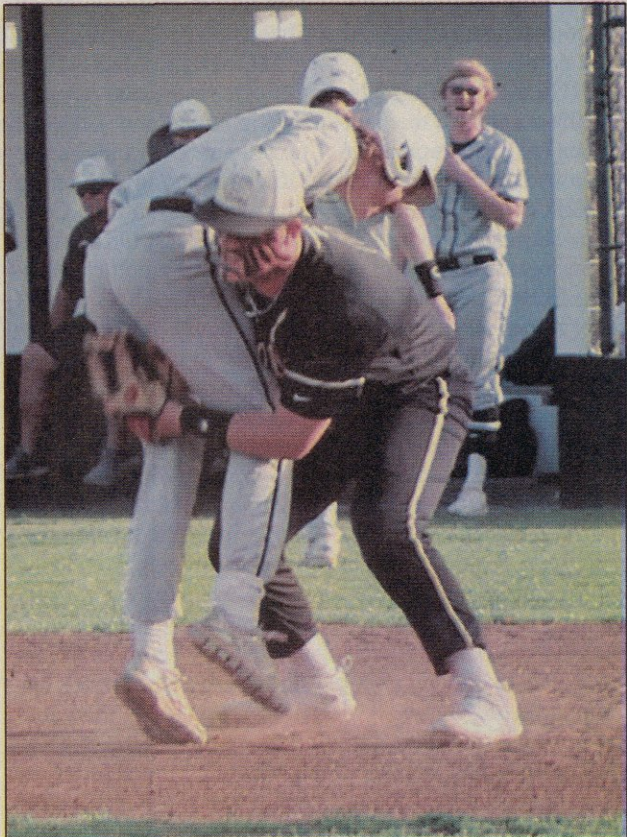
For more information on the car show, contact Kenneth Calhoun at (334) 313-5505. For more information

regard arts and crafts exhibits, contact Larry Goodson at (334) 464-1613.

There is no admission charge to attend this community event.

CONCERT CANCELED!

Due to concerns over the coronavirus [COVID-19] pandemic, the Southeast Alabama Community Band concert that had been scheduled for Monday, March 23, at Elba High School has been canceled.



THIS IS BASEBALL NOT FOOTBALL! The Elba Tigers varsity baseball team originally was scheduled to host Wicksburg for a game Monday, March 16, but that game was canceled. So, the Tigers took advantage of the 'unknown' due to the COVID-19 concerns shutting down their season for at least the next 2 1/2 weeks [if not more] and played an intrasquad game Monday evening. The team's three seniors were honored prior to the start of the scrimmage game [look for these photos in next week's paper] and a celebration was held after the game. Above, senior Chanler Coppage has a bit of fun with sophomore Carson Wise as he attempts to 'tackle' Wise to keep him from scoring. The black team eventually won in 6 innings defeating the gray team 4-3, but more than anything, the group made the best of the situation and had fun!

EDITORIAL

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

"WORRYING does not take away tomorrow's TROUBLES; it takes away today's PEACE." - Unknown

The best one we have heard lately is probably: "CDC officials have advised that wearing a Florida State jersey could protect you from Coronavirus 19 after noticing last season that players wearing Seminole jerseys couldn't catch anything!" Oops, we have both a niece and nephew who are FSU graduates that now will surely have us on their bad list!

Seriously, we have read oodles of comments of "if so-and-so, then you are immune to this new virus. Each of those statements was surely put out as a joke but have been swallowed hook, line and sinker by the social media crowd. The truth is that none of those theories would have created an immunity to something that just recently evolved for another virus.

Another thing we have noticed recently on social media sites is that the nonbelievers in the reality of this ongoing pandemic who didn't believe it existed at all have either changed their opinion or just decided to hide under a bush until they could come back out and say, "I told you so."

Many food establishments are pushing their "to-go" meals during this worldwide concern over the Coronavirus. All during the day Monday we were getting notices of food establishments and other retail outlets, along with churches, government and medical facilities that were offering modified service to their customers. Late Monday afternoon our taste buds lit up when a Red Lobster e-mail popped in offering FREE DELIVERY. Our love for cheese biscuits and shrimp took over our brain but alas the fine print limited the service to an area that didn't include Elba. Now we are struggling to settle down and get back to work.

The annual antique car show scheduled for Saturday on the Square in Elba is also a victim of the Coronavirus. The event has been delayed until May 9th. Promoters of this event were expecting the largest ever display of restored motor vehicles. However, we still take a moment to salute the private citizens who are promoting this very popular event in our community. It supports our very strong opinion that citizens should not sit back and wait for government to do everything for them!

Our son-in-law Tom drove to Elba Monday. Daughter Michele thinks he was proving he could still drive on the 4-lane highways, in spite of his major stroke several months ago. His doctor's visit in Birmingham last week gave him courage, even if it did include a stricter diet. Frankly we didn't even fuss at him when he drove up in front of the office. Our reason? Well, he was bringing a cooked roast, fresh pound cake, assorted vegetables, home made muffins, etc., for our consumption. Enough 'good' stuff to last two old folks a full week and maybe longer!

Politics can come out in the weirdest ways. Some folks are claiming the Coronavirus response is lacking in substance and blaming President Trump. True, some of his early comments contradicted statements by medical experts but blaming him for the pandemic - oh come on folks get a life!

Of course, there is the flip side of the political issues who are claiming that Trump's distractors are causing the whole thing. Folks, you need to get a life as well!

Let's all listen to the medical experts as they learn more about the new virus and pass on 'learned' advice on how to move forward with prevention and/or treatment of the Coronavirus 19, Chinese Coronavirus or whatever you choose to call it. It is also time for all our friends to reflect on any personal opposition to vaccinations designed to prevent infections.

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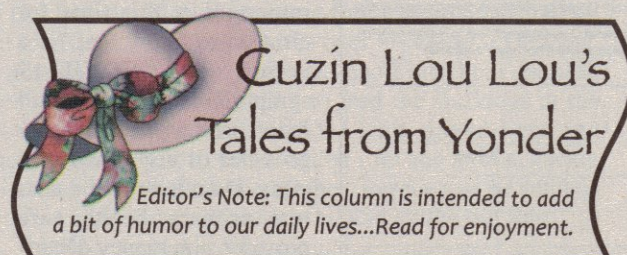
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Coffee County 4-H conducts Bake Off contest for students



Kayden Moseley was all smiles over her Chocolate Drop Cookies for the Coffee County 4-H Bake Off contest!



Editor's Note: This column is intended to add a bit of humor to our daily lives...Read for enjoyment.

The coronavirus is on everyone's mind right now. You cannot escape it anywhere.

Even Cuzin Lou Lou has been drawn in to trying to stay on top of the latest news regarding the circumstances of this pandemic. Admittedly, she was a bit uninterested to begin with; however, when the nation started shutting down things - sporting events to be precise - Cuzin decided there was more to this matter than she first thought!

Then... out of nowhere, the stores began running out of necessary daily items.

"What in the world of Yonder is going on!?!?!" Lou Lou exclaimed. "I cannot for the life of me understand why people need so much toilet paper for an illness that is a respiratory thing!"

Before Lou Lou knew it, the list of in demand products grew, and she found herself making a trip to the store too just to get enough groceries to get by until the hoarders calm down.

Cuzin Lou Lou decided the immediate panic over the 'unknown' of this new illness had folks taking care of #1 by buying up all they could in case EVERYONE gets sent home on quarantine for a lengthy time. While she decided that was most likely an over-reaction by many, truth was that spending more time at home and away from all the extras in life for a bit might be the best way to combat the COVID-19 [that name just seems like some James Bond stuff to Lou Lou... she chuckles every time she says it while using her best Bond accent].

Then, last Saturday, Sister, of all people, explained the toilet paper rush to Lou Lou.

You see... Sister had decided she needed to make a trip to the wonderful world of Wal-Mart to get some items she needed [not any on the high demand list, but things she needed regardless].

She called Lou Lou from the store.

"You could never imagine what I am seeing here, Lou Lou!" she insisted. "People have cleared out the medicine aisle. There is no toilet paper, nor wipes, and you get laughed at if you ask where the hand sanitizer is... it is unbelievable."

"That wasn't even why you went there... why are you looking for all that stuff?" Lou Lou asked.

"I could not help myself. I just had to see what all was gone!"

"It's that nosy nature of yours, I see," Lou Lou quipped. "Hush! That is not true. Anyways, that is not why I called you!"

Well...

"I called to tell you that I figured out the reason why so many people are buying all the toilet paper."

Lou Lou could not wait for this one!

Sister went on to explain that the item 'sold out' that most intrigued her was that all the cooking oil was gone from the shelves over in the food section.

"Why in heaven do people need that much cooking oil?" Lou Lou questioned.

Sister had the answer!

Sister decided that people were buying the cooking oil to perform a 'self clean' of their system to prevent themselves from 'catching' the coronavirus... thus the need for an abundance of toilet paper!

All jokes aside. Please adhere to the recommendations of the health experts as we all do what is necessary to get past this pandemic. A little inconvenience now could go a long way in our future health!

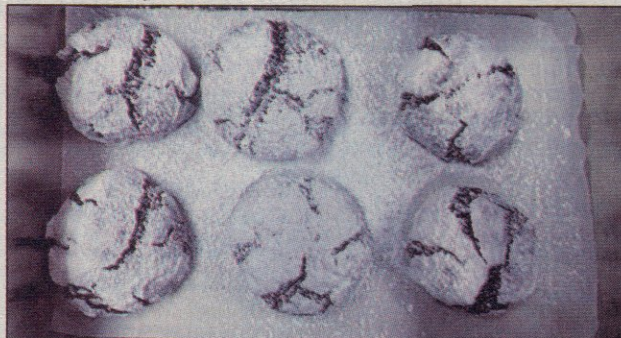
Until next time... God Bless and Keep Smiling!

Coffee County 4-H conducted its annual Bake Off event for students last week, and the results are in with multiple schools represented by the winners.

The first and second place winners from the event will represent Coffee County in June at the 4-H Regionals to be held at Troy University.

The Coffee County Bake Off winners were: 1st Place - Emory Kinsaul, 4th grade at Kinston Elementary; 2nd Place - Emily Grace Peeples, 4th grade at New Brockton Elementary; and 3rd Place (three-way tie) - Cailyn Sanders, 5th grader at Zion Chapel Elementary, Kayden Moseley, 4th grader at Elba Elementary, and Ava Coggins, 4th grader at Zion Chapel Elementary.

Left, Elba Elementary School fourth grader Kayden Moseley shows off her third place winning Chocolate Drop cookies while the photo below gives a closer look at the yummy goodness! Kayden is the daughter of Chris and Jennifer Moseley of Elba.



The Chocolate Drop Cookies entered into the Coffee County 4-H Bake Off contest by Kayden Moseley looked like pure yumminess!

Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, between Tuesday, March 10, and Monday, March 16, made six arrests - two arrests were reported as results of traffic stops while four arrests were on warrants. There were eight traffic citations and nine traffic warnings [verbal and written] issued by Elba Police officers from March 10-16th.

TUESDAY, MAR 10 - Officers checked on a suspicious vehicle reported at the Dollar General store (12:01 a.m.); Officers responded to a report of a suspicious person on Tucker Ave (1:16 a.m.); Officers responded to a report of a suspicious person on Collier Circle (5:19 a.m.); Officers responded to an animal complaint on W Davis St (6:07 p.m.); Officers checked on a suspicious vehicle at the American Legion building on Neil Grantham Dr (8:40 p.m.); Officers responded to a traffic accident on Hwy 84 (10:13 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, MAR 11 - Officers responded to a suspicious person complaint at the Food Giant on Claxton Ave (3:08 a.m.); Officers responded to a trespassing complaint on County Rd 263 (3:23 a.m.); Officers responded to a harassment complaint at Elba High School (9:02 a.m.); Officers responded to a suspicious person complaint on the Troy Hwy (3:23 p.m.); Animal control responded to an animal complaint on Reese Ave (4:52 p.m.).

THURSDAY, MAR 12 - Officers responded to a suspicious vehicle complaint on Reese Ave (6:29 p.m.).

FRIDAY, MAR 13 - Officers responded to a suspicious person complaint on Davis St E (12:18 a.m.); Officers responded to a report of a breaking and entering of a motor vehicle on E Davis St (8:58 a.m.); Officers took a report on a stolen vehicle from Old Samson Rd (1:24 p.m.); Officers responded to a traffic accident at 707 Simmons St (1:29 p.m.); Officers responded to a domestic disturbance on the Hwy 84 Access Rd (4:18 p.m.); Officers responded to a harassment complaint on Reese Ave (7:31 p.m.); Officers responded to a disturbance on Payne St (7:53 p.m.); Officers responded to a call of livestock in the roadway on Taylor Mill Rd (8:02 p.m.);

Officers responded to a prowler complaint on the Troy Hwy (10:13 p.m.).

SATURDAY, MAR 14 - Officers responded to a report of suspicious circumstances on Smith Ave (1:22 a.m.); Officers responded to a traffic accident at 1573 Hwy 166 (11:54 a.m.); Officers responded to a burglary complaint at a residence on Guyton St (1:33 p.m.); Officers responded to an animal complaint on Larkin Rd (4:07 p.m.); Officers responded to a suspicious person complaint at the Elba Shell Station on Claxton Ave (7:20 p.m.); Officers responded to a traffic accident at 1285 Neil Grantham Dr (8:04 p.m.); Officers responded to a complaint of suspicious circumstances in the area of Cherokee Lane and Highland Dr (8:47 p.m.); Officers responded to a woods/grass fire on Hwy 166 (8:52 p.m.).

SUNDAY, MAR 15 - Officers checked on a suspicious vehicle at the Elba Public Library on Simmons St (3:34 a.m.); Officers responded to a suspicious person complaint on Hickman Ave (3:38 a.m.); Officers responded to a harassment complaint on Williams Ave S (1:58 p.m.); Officers responded to a theft of property on Tucker Ave (7:27 p.m.); Officers responded to a suspicious vehicle complaint on Jackson Ave (8:16 p.m.); Officers responded to a suspicious vehicle complaint on Hwy 203 (10:26 p.m.).

MONDAY, MAR 16 - Officers responded to a domestic complaint on Neil Grantham Dr (8:09 a.m.); Officers responded to report of shots fired on Pine Cove Dr (8:57 a.m.); Officers responded to a report of an assault at Elba High School (9:53 a.m.); Officers responded to a report of theft of property on Cedar Lane Dr (11:05 a.m.); Officers responded to a report of theft of property on Payne St (12:03 p.m.); Officers took a report for sexual abuse/rape - this report was taken at the police department (1:05 p.m.); Officers responded to a burglary complaint on Jackson Ave (2:25 p.m.); Officers responded to a residence on Oak Ave to investigate smoke/odor in the home (6:58 p.m.); Officers responded to a fight reported on Jackson St (8:41 p.m.).

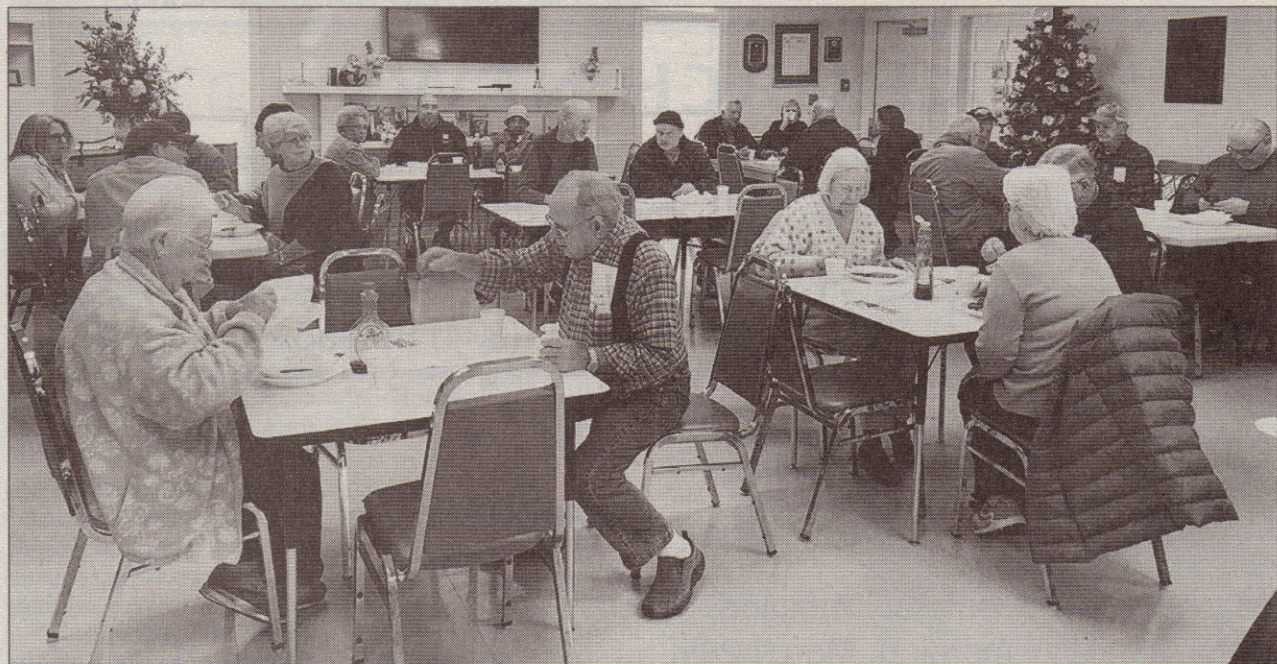
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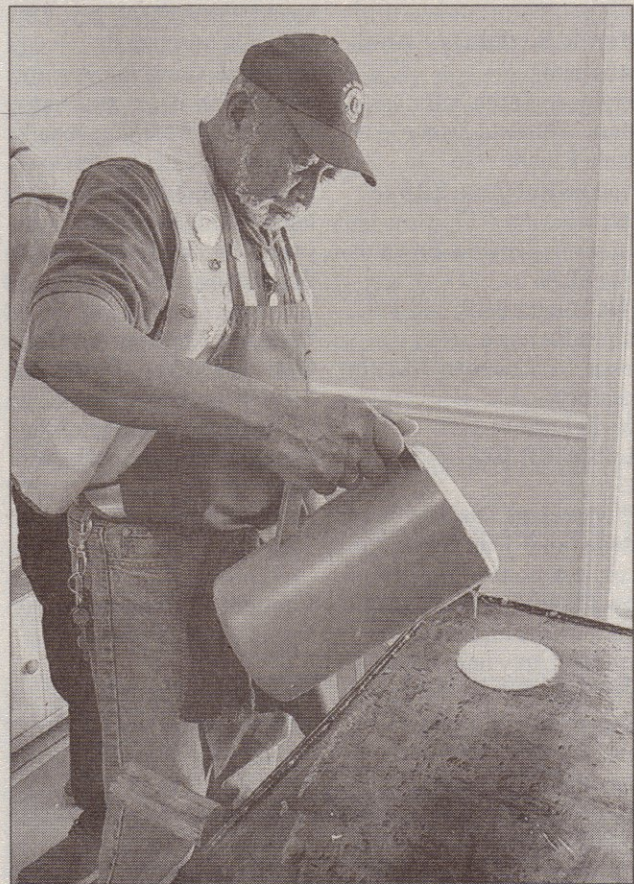


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The Elba Senior Citizens Center stayed pretty full throughout the entire four hours of the Elba Lions Club Pancake Breakfast (as shown here) on Saturday, March 7th. Club members said it was a great crowd for the fund raiser!



Elba Lion Club member LC Cook pours a new batch of pancakes to feed the large crowd in attendance Saturday, March 7, for the club's annual pancake breakfast.

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(LCIF), an international humanitarian foundation focusing on four major areas — preserving sight, supporting youth, providing disaster relief and meeting humanitarian needs.

- \$600 to Camp Seale Harris, a camp in northern Alabama for children with diabetes. Last year over 400 children attended.

- \$400 to the Southeast Leader Dog School, a school for the training of leader dogs for the blind.

- \$200 to the American Diabetes Association — an organization to prevent and cure diabetes and to improve the lives of all people affected by diabetes.

- \$150 for the purchase of 15-20 Lions Club International Recycled For Sight collection boxes that have been placed at various locations in Elba. Usable eyeglasses collected will be sent to UAB for recycling.

Elba Lions Club members said they support children in their quest to make Elba a better place to live.



Thursday,
March 19 is
the first day
of Spring!

Enjoy some
sunshine!

ALEA modifies Driver License Division operations due to COVID-19

The Alabama Law Enforcement Agency is modifying its Driver License Division's statewide operations in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

ALEA's Secretary Hal Taylor said, "ALEA is dedicated to providing public safety to the state and its citizens and will continue. When Governor Ivey declared this state of emergency in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, we and other state agencies were charged with determining how best to ensure continued operations without risking the health of the public or our personnel."

Because ALEA's Driver License Division touches the lives of many, operations have been modified, he said. Effective immediately, Driver License Division:

- Has suspended road testing (including CDL)
- Discourages anyone with a weakened or compromised immune system from visiting any Driver License locations

- Reminds everyone all Alabama driver licenses and non-driver IDs have a 60-day grace period following expiration date (Code of Alabama, Title 32-6-1). Customers may wait to renew

- Encourages online services for anyone who must renew or obtain a duplicate driver license/STAR ID or non-driver ID at

https://www.alabamainteractive.org/dl_renewal/welcome.action. To obtain a first issuance of a STAR ID, customers must visit an ALEA Driver License office

- Encourages everyone to visit www.alea.gov or to contact their local Driver License office prior to a visit to ensure the location is open. (Information may change daily, so check often). Office phone numbers are at www.alea.gov

- Has begun curbside check-in and screening at ALEA's Driver License offices. Everyone is asked to follow instructions posted outside each location and wait at their vehicles to reduce potential exposure

- Reminds anyone in need of driver license reinstatement services to conduct this business by phone or mail. Following is a list of Reinstatement Office phone numbers:

- Birmingham: 205.252.0426
- Dothan: 334.983.5616
- Huntsville: 256.536.2365

- Jacksonville: 256.782.1322
- Mobile: 251.660.2330, ext. 5
- Montgomery: 334.242.4400

- Opelika: 334.737.1665
- Sheffield: 256.383.9991
- Tuscaloosa: 205.553.3511

Secretary Taylor said, "We ask everyone to be patient and to work with us to ensure the health and safety of both the public and our personnel are not compromised. Please continue to check our website for the most up-to-date information as COVID-19 response may require additional changes in the way we serve our customers."

Coronavirus Disease 19 [COVID-19] Important Messages:

- If you are experiencing symptoms, call your primary care physician or urgent care facility first.

- For the latest COVID-19 information from the Alabama Department of Public Health, call 211.

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What are Some Ways to Personalize the Funeral Procession to the Cemetery?

When a funeral moves from the site of the memorial service to the site of the burial, it's often necessary for mourners to pile into their vehicles and do a bit of traveling. This is what's known as the funeral procession, and it's an important part of traditional funeral services. In fact, there are even some customs and traditions concerning what order the vehicles go in.

You don't have to adhere to such traditions if you don't want to, of course, and even if you value the customs regarding the funeral procession, there are still some ways in which you can personalize it.

One simple option is to provide funeral attendees with some floral arrangements they can add to their vehicles—fastening them to the mirrors or the hood of the car. These can be a subtle way of distinguishing the cars in your funeral procession.

You can also consider the option of enlisting a special vehicle to lead the procession. For example, in more agrarian communities, the funeral procession is sometimes led by a horse or even a tractor. In a more metropolitan or suburban setting, a horse-drawn carriage can sometimes be employed. Fire trucks are sometimes chosen to lead the procession, and even something like a beloved fishing boat, when placed on a trailer, can be part of the lineup. And if your loved one was a bike enthusiast, motorcycle hearses are a popular option.

If geography permits, you might even direct the funeral procession on a brief, scenic detour—perhaps near a park, green area, or historic building that held some importance for the deceased.

There are a number of ways in which you can make the procession feel more personal. For some additional ideas, don't hesitate to ask your funeral director, who will be happy to help however possible.

If you would like a free funeral decisions guide, please email me at hayesfh@hayesfuneralhome.net

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Obituaries

Death notices updated regularly on our website at www.elba-clipper.com

BOBBY MATHEWS

Mr. Bobby Mathews, age 57 of Opp, Ala., died Sunday, March 8, 2020, at his residence.

Funeral services were held March 14, 2020 at Nazareth Missionary Baptist Church with Coleman Funeral Home of Elba, directing.

Bobby was born on July 21, 1962 in Opp to Mary Alice Mathews and Grady Hobbs (deceased). He attended Opp High School and graduated on May 26, 1981. He spent years in Montgomery, Ala., where he worked as a wood maker. He returned to Opp in 2015 where he lived out the rest of his life loving his family.

Survivors include his wife: Vera Love-Mathews; son: Comac (Heather) Love (deceased); daughters: Lamentheus Love, Shameria (Mario) Hinson, all of Montgomery, Ala.; sisters: Marilyn (Johnny) Shepard, Riverdale, Ga., Monica (Tony) Onque Hampton, Va., Jeanette (Eugene) Horstead, Opp, Linda Rolan, Newport News, Va., Denise Matthews, Opp, and Pamela Matthews, Dothan, Ala.; brother: Derek (Sandra) Matthews, Fayetteville, Ga.; five grandchildren: Kennedee Cobb, Zariah Hinson, Temarcus Moorer, McKinna Love, Julian Davis; and a host of other relatives and friends.

GEORGE LINDSEY

Mr. George Lindsey, age 58 of Opp, Ala., died Wednesday, March 4, 2020, in Andalusia, Ala.

Funeral services were held March 10, 2020 at Nazareth Missionary Baptist Church of Opp, Ala., with Coleman Funeral Home of Elba directing.

George Jr. was born June 13, 1961 to Louise Lindsey and the late George Lindsey. He was a graduate of Opp High School.

George was preceded in death by his father, George Lindsey; one brother, John Lindsey; and one sister, Mary N. Shivers.

Survivors include his mother: Louise Lindsey, Opp; two brothers: Willie M. Lindsey, Opp, and Aaron Lindsey, Mobile,

Ala.; four sisters: Mary A. (Ray) Coleman, Elba, Ala., Nettie (Johnny) Lacey, Lacie (Nathan) Stoudemire, Opp, and Polly Stoudemire, Brewton, Ala.; along with a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

JEANETTE T. STARLING

Mrs. Jeanette T. Starling, age 73, of Enterprise, Ala., died Wednesday, March 4, 2020, at Medical Center Enterprise.

Funeral services were held March 10, 2020 at Pleasant Shade Missionary Baptist Church with Coleman Funeral Home of Enterprise directing.

Jeanette was born on November 29, 1946 to Robert L. and Mary L. Willis-Browning in Platte City, Mo. Later in life she married Robert Starling, a soldier at Ft. Rucker, Ala., and eventually he retired and made their home in Enterprise, Ala. Jeanette also began her civil service career while being an army wife.

She was preceded in death by her parents, beloved husband Robert Starling; sisters: Ruth McDaniel, Christine Morris and Gera Idine Kelly; and brothers: Robert "Bus" Browning and Walter Greek Browning.

Survivors include her daughter: Sonja Tanner Baldwin; grandchildren: Brittany Smith, Joshua Smith; and great-granddaughter: AriAnna; stepsons: Everette Starling and Greg Starling; and her sister: Ada Carrell.

NORMA VAUGHAN

Norma Vaughan, age 61, of Enterprise, Ala., recently died at Medical Center Enterprise.

Memorial services were held Saturday, March 14, 2020, at Coleman Funeral Home with Coleman Funeral Home of Enterprise, directing.

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Pastor's Corner

by Tonia Lewis, Benevolence Counselor
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Have you ever been in a messy situation and someone came and intervened?

Maybe it was an uncomfortable conversation. Maybe it was a bit more serious like a toxic relationship. But either way, the person's intervention delivered you from it.

Do you remember how you felt being released from whatever the binding situation was? Free, right?

Let's look at Moses today. Moses is the Old Testament hero who delivered God's people, the Israelites, out of their captivity in Egypt. Can you only imagine how they must have felt? Forty years in bondage then released to live their lives in freedom.

Grab your needle and thread today. Moses is an amazingly heroic deliverer. This one may be hard to beat, right? What could possibly top delivering an entire people group from their forty-year captivity? Let's sow our way over into the New Testament.

Are you breathing? Then you are a sinner. Is your sin greater or less than someone else's? Absolutely not. ALL sin is ugly.

We are all filthy rags (Isaiah 64:6). Not only are our sins ugly, but they are also binding. Just as the Israelites were being held in bondage in Egypt, our sins bind us. They hold us captive. They keep us from living in the freedom that a clear conscience allows. We are all in desperate need of deliverance from the bondage of our sins.

Whew!! That is a task that seems impossible! But God had a plan. A perfect plan.

He sent His Son, Jesus. Jesus is our new and better Moses. Yes, Moses is an amazing hero! He delivered the Israelites, God's chosen people, out of their forty-year bondage in Egypt. But Jesus came, lived a perfect life, and died a terrible death so that each of us can be delivered from our sins. When He died on that cross, He took every sin that you have committed, are committing and will commit.

Now, our only job is to believe in Him, trust that He is who He says that He is and that He will do what He says that He will do. With that cemented into the crevices of your heart, all you have to do is ask Him to forgive you of your sin and repent. He will deliver you from the bondage that the sin had on you. That's when you get to live in freedom! Jesus is our new and better Moses! He delivers!

CHURCH NEWS

Newbia Baptist Church plans Spring Revival services for March 22nd-24th

Newbia Baptist Church will host a Spring Revival from March 22nd – March 24th at the church, located at 3819 County Road 330, outside of Elba.

Brother Cliff Quincey, New Home Baptist Church of Enterprise, will be the guest speaker for the revival

services, which begin Sunday evening, March 22, at 6 p.m. and continue Monday evening, March 23, and Tuesday evening, March 24, at 7 p.m. these nights.

Everyone is invited to attend. For more information, contact Pastor Will Jordan at (334) 308-7510.

Pleasant Ridge Cemetery meeting set for Saturday morning, March 28th

The annual Pleasant Ridge Cemetery Trust Fund meeting will be held this year on Saturday, March 28, at 10 a.m.

All concerned people are urged to attend. Donations to help with the maintaining

and upkeep of the cemetery may be mailed to: Pleasant Ridge Cemetery Inc. 4608 CR 223, Elba, AL 36323.

Pleasant Ridge Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery is located on County Road 228 (near Victoria).

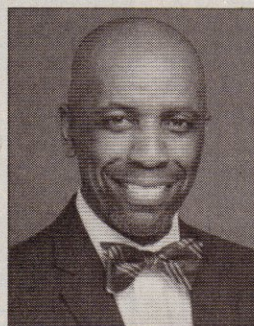
Elba native plans to speak at Coffee County NAACP banquet on April 4th

The Coffee County Branch 5017 of the NAACP will host its annual Freedom Fund Banquet on Saturday, April 4, at 6 p.m.

The banquet will be held at the Enterprise Civic Center, 2401 Neil Metcalf Road, Enterprise, Ala. Tickets are

\$25 per person. The guest speaker will be Willie Flowers, president of the NAACP Maryland State Conference. Flowers is a native of Elba, Ala.

For more information or to purchase tickets, contact Eleanor Green at (334) 347-6139.



Willie Flowers

Round and About with Eria's Daughter

(334) 897-3611



Scripture: Prayer for Relief from tormentors. Psalm 56: 1-13

Thinking of You! Praying for You.

Kathy Johnson Harris, Joyce S. Jones, Joyce B. Johnson, Kimberly D. Kelley, Mamie Belcher, Mary Sue Dawson, Mary Starks, All Hospital Patients

March Birthdays / Anniversaries

Jeraldene Smith 3/16
Mark Whitfield 3/16
Paula Eliard 3/16
Freddie Robinson 3/16
Freda Hooks 3/17
Jimmy / Samella Edwards 3/18 W.A.
Tina Hunter 3/19
James Florence 3/19
Jessie M. Coleman 3/21 (in memory)
Devin Luckett 3/21
Amber Hill 3/21

** Marriage Disaster

Steve and Jean were the happiest honeymooners in town – until that frightful crash on the highway. Steve was not badly hurt, but Jean was paralyzed from the neck down. Motionless on her bed, she could smile or she could cry, but she could not speak. She could eat if food was put in her mouth, but she could not lift a spoon.

In her presence, Steve was quiet and moody. Outside it he was furious.

"I'm out of here!" he vowed often and loudly. He snarled at the minister who came to call, "Preacher, tell me about your God. What a monster! Does He really enjoy seeing Jean like that?"

The minister was irritated. "Maybe God is trying to make a man out of you," he

snapped. "You have a contract, Steve. In the presence of God and a house full of people you promised to love, cherish, and keep Jean as long as you both would live. Men keep their promises, but you keep talking about getting out of here."

"Nuts!" Steve's voice dripped disgust. "I married a woman. I'm not going to spend the rest of my life with a houseplant." So Steve drew his money out of the bank and vanished into the night. Jean's parents gave her tender, loving care until she died a year later. What do you do with your disasters – and what do they do to you?

Question / Answer Section Q/A for the Week of 3/12/20 True or False

Q: Zedekiah was one of the most godly kings Judah ever had

A: False [read 2 Chronicles 36: 12]

Thought to Remember Stop – Complaining

Thought to Remember

Thankfulness may consist merely of words. Gratitude is shown in Acts. – Henri-Frederic Amiel (1821-1881)

Questions for the Week of 3/19/20

Fill in the Blanks

Q: In His wine press, the _____ had trampled the virgin daughter of _____

Q: The _____ Lord's _____ never fails.

Q: God does not bring _____.

Today is a good day! Be grateful.
Eria's Daughter, Sue

The Elba Ministerial Alliance

meets at Subway the first Thursday of each month at 8:30AM. If your church is not already a member we extend an invitation.

For more information call
334-897-2057

March is Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month



See the Value in All People
#DDawareness2020



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Developmental Disabilities
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Due to COVID-19 concerns

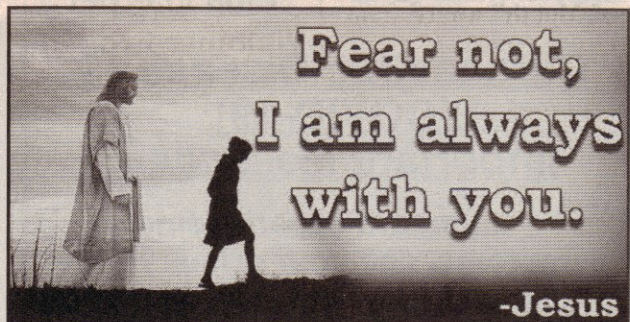
Senior Citizens Centers currently closed until further notice from SARCOA officials

The City of Elba received directive last week from SARCOA [South Alabama Regional Council on Aging] that all senior centers in the region will be closed beginning Monday, March 16, 2020, until further notice.

This directive affects all senior citizen centers in

Coffee County. Meals will still be provided to those seniors whom already participate in the meal program.

SARCOA is taking these steps because of their concern for the health and wellness of the seniors amid the COVID-19 pandemic.



-Jesus

Church Directory

IN HIM WAS
LIFE AND THE
LIFE WAS THE
LIGHT OF MEN

**ABOUNDING GRACE
COMMUNITY CHURCH**
Rockey Pearce, Pastor
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

**ABUNDANT LIFE
CHURCH SAMSON, Ala.**
Richard Thorn Sr., Pastor
Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Night Service 7:00 p.m.

**ALBERTON BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Sam Self, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 5:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

BETHLE AME CHURCH
Rev. Deborah A. Butler, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

**BETHLEHEM BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Class . . . 6:30 p.m.

**BETHANY BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Greg Cotter, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Disciple Train . . . 5:30 p.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:30 p.m.

**BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Tom Senn, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH
Robert Davis, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.

**CHESTNUT GROVE METH-
ODIST**
Rev. Remonia Smith
Church Service . . . 9:00 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Services . . . 6:00 p.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays

**CORNERSTONE BIBLE
CHURCH**
Larry Mills, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Night . . . 7:00 p.m.

**COVENANT COMMUNITY
CHURCH**
Diana White, Pastor
Bible Study . . . 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship . . . 9:45 a.m.
Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Wed. Night (Youth Real Deal
and Children's Activities) . . .
6:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPT. CHURCH
Steve Watson, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH
Dale Morgan, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Discipleship Training 5:00 p.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 p.m.

EAON BAPTIST CHURCH
Mark Ward, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:15 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST
Phillip Box, Minister
Bible Study . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:30 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD
David Noble, Pastor
Morn. Worship . . . 10:45 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m.

**ELBA CHURCH OF GOD
OF PROPHECY**
H.L. Buckner, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night . . . 6:00 p.m.
Thur. Night . . . 7:00 p.m.

**ELBA DELIVERANCE
TABERNACLE**
Allen Richards, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA 1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Dwight Johnson, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:30 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

ELBA 1st BAPTIST CHURCH
Tom Anderson, Interim Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

**ELBA UNITED METHOD-
IST CHURCH**
Steve Reneau, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Services . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPT. CHURCH
Lovell Martin, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

**EVANGELIST TEMPLE
CHURCH OF GOD IN
CHRIST**
Timothy Williams, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPT CHURCH
Garry Winstead, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

**FAITH CHAPEL
COMMUNITY CHURCH**
Phillip Adcock, Pastor
Sunday Morning . . . 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

**1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD -
KINSTON**
Danny Bradshaw, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 7:00 p.m.

**FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Scott Donaldson, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

**FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS
CHURCH**
Edward E. Drake, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m.

**GODS POWER HOUSE
EVANGELISTIC CHURCH.**
Overseers - Bro Billy Berry
Sat. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Sun. Service . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 4:00 p.m.

**GREATER NEW ZION
BAPTIST CHURCH**
Willie L. Peterson, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

**HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC
CHURCH**
W. K. Ellison, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

**HAM UNITED METHOD-
IST CHURCH**
Rev. Steve Reneau, Pastor
Morn. Worship . . . 8:45 a.m.

**HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF
GOD**
Shirley Ellis, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

HEBRON BAPT. CHURCH
Mark Cooper, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Even. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Wesley D. Ard, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting . . . 6:30 p.m.

INO BAPTIST CHURCH
Garry Winstead, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 8:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Matthew Morris, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:15 p.m.

KINSTON 1st BAPT CHURCH
Ben Posey, Pastor
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

LIVING WORD CHURCH
Derrick Stinson, Pastor
Saturday Service . . . 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Service . . . 10:30 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Youth Service 6:00 p.m.
Thurs. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

**LIBERTY CHURCH OF
CHRIST**
Greg Hanchey, Minister
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

LOVE'S WAY CHURCH
Charles Jones, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

**MT. CALVARY BAPTIST
CHURCH**
J. R. Parks, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
1st & 3rd Sundays

**MT. GILEAD BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Dewey Emfinger, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

MT. OLIVE BAPT. CHURCH
Olivia Strickland, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

**MT. ZION BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Kevin Byrd, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

**MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY
OF GOD**
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

Cathedral of the Holy Spirit
New Abundant Life Del.
Linda Williams, Pastor
Sunday . . . 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Even. . . 7:30 p.m.

**NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH
OF GOD IN CHRIST -
ENTERPRISE**
W. K. Ellison, Pastor
Morning Worship . . . 9:00 a.m.
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m.
Friday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m.

NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH
Will Jordan, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Disciple Train . . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Night Services 7:00 p.m.

**NEW BROCKTON METH-
ODIST**
Dr. Craig Bailey, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:30 p.m.

**NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Terry Godwin, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Bible Study . . . 9:45 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:00 p.m.

**NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Randall Pearson, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m.

**NEW GLORIOUS CHURCH
OF GOD IN CHRIST**
James Starks Jr., Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Bib Stud Wed . . . 6:00 p.m.

**NEW HAVEN BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Brad Sasser, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:30 p.m.

**NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY
OF GOD CHURCH**
Lanny Shepard, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

**NEW PHILADELPHIA
CHURCH OF GOD IN
CHRIST**
Lorelei Flowers, Minister
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays

OAK GROVE BAPT. CHURCH
Julian Mitchell, Pastor
1st - 4th Sun. Morn.
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

**OLD TABERNACLE UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**
Lee Jones, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

**PINEY GROVE AS-
SEMBLY OF GOD - SAM-
SON**
Terry McCrummen, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Disciple Train . . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Worship . . . 7:00 p.m.

**PRaise & GLORY
WORSHIP CENTER**
Roy L. Turner, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

**ROCKY HEAD M.B.
CHURCH**
A. R. Williams, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays

**ROETON BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m.

SHADY GROVE AME
James Boots, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Praise Service Mon 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

LIFESTYLES

Elba Elementary School announces Kindergarten Registration will be held next week on March 25th & March 26th

Elba Elementary School announced this week that it will conduct its 2020-2021 Kindergarten Registration on Wednesday, March 25, and Thursday, March 26, at the school.

Anyone with a child that has turned five years old or will turn five years old on or before September 1, 2020, is encouraged to bring their child to Elba Elementary School between the hours of 8:15 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on March 25th or 26th. Parents will complete enrollment paperwork, and each child will be given a short screener involving basic kindergarten skills.

As a precaution, if the child is showing any signs of sickness, please do not bring him/her to registration. The school will have an additional time that the screener may be completed for them.

Each student enrolling in Elba City Schools for the first time will need the following provided by the parent/guardian at the time of registration:

1. Copy of child's birth

certificate

2. Social security card (If a student does not have an SSN, a temporary number shall be assigned as specified by the ALSDE)

3. Up-to-date certificate of immunization

4. Proof of residency (Current utility bill, mortgage statement, or rent lease agreement)

5. Parent/Guardian picture ID

6. If Applicable: Proof of Custody/Guardianship - Custody papers may be required if the student doesn't reside with both birth parents.

For additional questions concerning kindergarten registration, call principal Debra Strickland or counselor Kenya Martin at Elba Elementary - (334) 897-2814.

**Lifestyles
News is Due
on Monday!**



Elba Parks and Recreation hosts Commit to Health 5K Run / Walk

The Elba Parks and Recreation Department hosted its "Commit to Health" 5K Run/Walk last Saturday morning, March 14, in downtown Elba.

A dozen runners/walkers (shown above) participated in this early morning event, which took them on a journey through a portion of downtown and up on the levee as their course for the event. The weather was perfect for the run.

The overall winner was

Lain McCollough (shown right). He is the son of Lance and Kelly McCollough of Opp, Ala., and the grandson of Mickey McCollough of Elba.

Lain is an avid 5K runner and has a goal to run a 5K in every U.S. state one day.

While McCollough was the overall winner last Saturday, awards were presented as well to the top runners/walkers in each age division. Each participant also received an event t-shirt.

Elba Rec's Commit to Health 5K was made possible via a grant the department received to help promote healthy living within the community. Last month, the Rec department hosted a healthy living nutrition expo on the square, which presented many ideas to participants on how to cook and eat in a more healthy manner. The Elba Rec Department hopes to host more events like this in the future.



Elba third grade teacher Kelly Wilson receives "Teacher of Month" award from Southeast Insurance and Real Estate's Ronnie Young.

Elba Elementary teacher receives 'Teacher of Month' award

The February "Teacher of the Month" award for Southeast Insurance and Real Estate in Elba recently went to Elba Elementary School third grade teacher Kelly Wilson.

Wilson is in her third year teaching third grade at EES. She taught fourth grade her first year at Elba.

Wilson has a Bachelor's

degree in elementary education from Troy University.

"I grew up in New Brockton before I moved to Opp," Wilson said. "I enjoy spending time with my family, at the beach, working out, and golfing with my husband."

Wilson is married to Cam Wilson, and they have one son, Slayton. The family also has a cat, Tinkerbell,

and a dog, Ellie. They are very involved with First Baptist Church in Opp.

Above, Southeast Insurance and Real Estate's Ronnie Young is shown delivering the teacher of the month award to Kelly Wilson at Elba Elementary School. They are surrounded by her third grade students.

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ESCC/AAC meeting student needs during closure due to COVID-19 outbreak

Enterprise State Community College and the Alabama Aviation College are working to ease the transition to online learning for students, faculty and staff while sports faculty are preparing for possible changes in college sports.

Following a decision from Alabama Community College System on Friday, March 13, ESCC/AAC announced campus closures to students and the move to online instruction from March 17-April 3. On Sunday, March 15, Gov. Kay Ivey authorized state employees to work remotely, prompting full closures for students and non-essential faculty and staff.

"All of our Enterprise State and Aviation College campuses will be closed from March 17-April 3," ESCC President Matt Rodgers said. "While the campuses will be closed, our employees will continue to work remotely to serve our students. Only essential staff will be on campus on an as-needed basis."

Both Colleges are committed to continue the delivery of a quality instruction to their students, even on an online platform. To help ease this transition, Canvas support is being offered to faculty and staff members at both campuses. Additionally, all students are encouraged to complete an online survey on Canvas to help ESCC/AAC identify those with technology or online education needs.

ESCC/AAC received special support on Monday, March 16, from Enterprise City Schools, which donated up to 300 Chromebooks for faculty, staff and student use for the next three weeks.

"I want to thank Superintendent Greg Fought and Brad Johnson and Stacy Rodgers with ECS for their offer of these Chromebooks," President Rodgers said. "We appreciate their generosity during this very difficult time. We have and continue to maintain a strong relationship with ECS. This example demonstrates the sense of community and support that we have here in the City of Enterprise."

ESCC/AAC faculty and staff will continue to serve all current and future students. Recruiters and financial aid staff will follow a plan of action to continue contacting prospective students while online tutors and academic support will be available for students during campus closures. Technology and Canvas support will also be provided, and faculty and staff are prepared to monitor all communication channels to make sure all questions and concerns from our students and community are addressed.

"Our goal is to contact each student from all campuses by phone or email to let them know that we're supporting them during this time," Rodgers said. "We will also continue to provide support to not only our

current students, faculty and staff, but also our future students."

For any questions or concerns, contact ESCC's main line at (334) 347-2623 and follow instructions to reach the appropriate department. Students at the Enterprise campus and all other sites can also email enterpriseinfo@escc.edu with any questions. Students at the Ozark campus can email ozarkinfo@escc.edu.

In addition to education changes, the National Junior College Athletics Association (NJCAA) announced on March 16 that all spring sports seasons were cancelled, including practices and regular and postseason games. ESCC Athletic Di-

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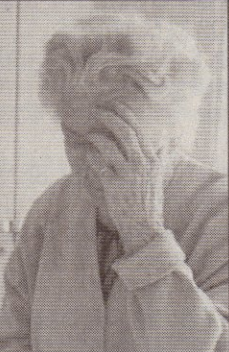
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I, Ronald L. Burns, Revenue Commissioner for Coffee County, by virtue of a decree rendered by the Probate Judge, Stephen E. Blair, of said county on February 25th, 2020 will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the courthouse door in Elba, said county within the hours of legal sale on April 14th, 2020 at 10:00 A.M. the following described Real Estate for taxes and cost due thereon for the year 2019.

March 12, 19, 26 - 2020

BANNIN JAMES P & SHERRY L 11-03-06-1-001-032.000 S/T/R-06/05N/20E LOT 9 BLK A PART 1 BENJAMIN SUBD IN ELBA RES Tax & Costs 263.65 Printing Fees 20.40 Total 284.05

BERRY LINDA 11-03-06-1-001-010.003 S/T/R-06/05N/20E PLAT 1 PG 73 BLK E LOT 8 CEDAR RIDGE S/D 2ND ADDN Tax & Costs 42.76 Printing Fees 21.00 Total 63.76

BLACK JASON 06-02-03-0-000-004.004 S/T/R-03/06N/20E COM AT INT OF E R/W OF AL HWY 87 AND N/L OF SEC TH SW LY 65' S TO POB TH SE LY 407.47' SW 210' NW 421.25' NE 210.45' TO POB MH, MH S Tax & Costs 351.64 Printing Fees 34.26 Total 385.90

BRADSHAW EDDIE D & JO ANNE 11-06-23-0-000-003.001 S/T/R-23/05N/20E COM AT INT OF S R/W OF CO RD 501 AND E R/W OF CO RD 505, TH SWLY 1330'S TO P.O.B. SE 210', SW 210', NW 210', NE 210' TO P.O.B. CONT 1 AC MH S, MH, BARN Tax & Costs 145.56 Printing Fees 37.56 Total 183.12

BROWN MICHAEL & BRENDA 11-03-05-3-002-006.000 S/T/R-05/05N/20E NW ADDN TO MORROW S/D BLK D LOT 6 LESS S 40' ELBA RES Tax & Costs 282.62 Printing Fees 22.99 Total 305.61

BURCH L M & MAVIS 11-03-08-3-004-010.000 S/T/R-08/05N/20E BEG ON S R/W HWY 84 185' W OF ADKINSON ST W 274.8' SLY

ALG C RK 160'(S) SELY 170' (S) ELY 70' (S) N 200.55' TO POB Tax & Costs 6651.18 Printing Fees 30.96 Total 6682.14

BURKS BETTY C/O SANDRA BURKS 11-03-07-4-002-029.000 S/T/R-07/05N/20E A LOT IN N 1/2 OF SE 1/4 S/S OF CENTER ST DESC AS BEG AT INTER OF S ROW OF CENTER ST & W ROW OF JACKSON ST TH NWLY 80' TO POB TH SWLY 100' TH NWLY 68' TH NELY 100' TH SELY 50' TO POB RES Tax & Costs 231.25 Printing Fees 43.50 Total 274.75

CARNELY ANN 11-04-17-01-02-20.004 A LOT COM AT INT OF CENTER LINE OF DR ROBERTS DRIVE & W R/W OF CO RD 401; TH N 470' S TO POB; TH N 210'; W 210' S 210'; E 210' TO POB. Tax & Costs 151.63 Printing Fees 33.60 Total 185.23

CARTER CHARLES RAY (LE) RICKY RAY & KEET 02-07-26-0-000-005.000 S/T/R-26/07N/21E B E G @ INTER N/L SW 1/4 & E R/W CLOWERS BDG RD; THE 896'; SWLY 700'; NWLY ALG SD RD 490' TO POB BARN, MH, MH S Tax & Costs 34.02 Printing Fees 30.30 Total 64.32

CASE VERA ELAINE 11-03-08-3-004-039.000 S/T/R-08/05N/20E A LOT IN SE 1/4 OF SW 1/4 DESC AS FOL COM SW COR W DAVIS ST & N CORDELIA ST TH W 110' TO POB TH S 183.2' W 55' S 11.4' W 0.7' N 199.4' E 125' TO POB TERM, MOT Tax & Costs 1493.89 Printing Fees 37.56 Total 1531.45

CLARK STACEY 19-04-17-0-000-001.007 S/T/R-17/03N/20E BEG AT INT OF S/L OF N 1/2 OF SE 1/4 AND

Printing Fees 17.76 Total 133.41

DOZIER CLARA C/O BRYANT HENDERSON 11-03-07-4-001-007.000 S/T/R-07/05N/20E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 DESC AS BEG AT 100' SELY FROM NE INT ER OF LEE ST & TAYLOR MILL RD TH NE 175' TH SE 100' TH SW 175' TH NW 100' TO POB IN RES Tax & Costs 200.42 Printing Fees 38.22 Total 238.64

DUNCAN ROBERT F C/O WAYNE DUNCAN 05-05-15-0-000-016.000 S/T/R-15/06N/19E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF NW 1/4 DES AS FOL BEG @ NW INTO FISH PON D RD & HWY 189, TH NW ALG HWY R/W 410' TO POB, CONT NWLY ALG R/W 210' NE 210', SE 210', SWLY 210', TO POB UTIL, MH S, MH Tax & Costs 228.59 Printing Fees 41.52 Total 270.11

FILLINGIM S W C/O JANET BASS 01-08-27-0-000-008.000 S/T/R-27/07N/22E A LOT IN SW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 BEING ALL LAND LYING N R/W OF PEA RIVER CONT 1.5 AC Tax & Costs 29.93 Printing Fees 26.34 Total 56.27

FLOWERS LOEARL 11-06-14-0-000-013.001 S/T/R-14/05N/20E BEG @ INT OF N R/W CO RD 501 & S END OF FLARE ON S R/W US 84, TH N' LY ALG FLARE 125.25', E' LY 326.26', S 40' S, W 115.98', S' LY 190.35', NW 181.18' TO POB Tax & Costs 63.72 Printing Fees 38.22 Total 101.94

FLOWERS LOEARL & TINY P 11-06-14-0-000-016.000 S/T/R-14/05N/20E COM @ INT OF E/L OF SEC & N R/W CO RD 501, TH W' LY ALG CO R D 501, 544' TO POB, TH NW LY 105', NE 210', SE 105', SW 210' TO POB PROBLEM WITH LEGAL DESCRIPTION-SEE 2005 CORRECTION DATED 2-1-05 UTIL, MH Tax & Costs 186.86 Printing Fees 42.84 Total 229.70

FLOWERS PERRY A C/O TAMMY WILLIAMS 02-07-36-0-000-002.000 S/T/R-36/07N/21E NW 1/4 OF NE 1/4 OF SEC 36 LYING N OF CO RD 135 Tax & Costs 38.08 Printing Fees 22.38 Total 60.46

FONTENOT PAUL J 11-06-24-0-000-018.001 S/T/R-24/05N/20E BEG AT THE INT OF E R/W OF CO. RD. 513 & S/L OF SEC, NW 53.1 2', E 726.09' N 1028.99', W 447.07', N 241.54', E 676.98', S 1305.21', W 880.52' TO POB. CONT 10 ACRES. PIER Tax & Costs 62.38 Printing Fees 34.92 Total 97.30

FORD VIRGIL CORNELIUS 11-03-07-1-003-002.000 S/T/R-07/05N/20E MULBERRY HEIGHT S/D LOT 1-7 IN ELBA FHOM Tax & Costs 537.92 Printing Fees 14.46 Total 552.38

FRANKS WILLIAM & FOWLER JESSICA 06-09-30-0-000-005.013 S/T/R-30/06N/20E B E G AT THE INT OF W R/W OF CO RD 354 AND N R/W OF AL HWY 189, TH W 605.40', NE 553.44', SE LY 805.70' TO P.O.B. Tax & Costs 70.41 Printing Fees 30.98 Total 101.37

HARRISON JOHNNIE 1/2 INT; DRIGGERS WILLI C/O RICK HARRISON 12-01-12-4-000-047.000 S/T/R-12/05N/19E A LOT IN THE E 1/2 OF SE 1/4 DESC AS BEG 409'S OF INT HWY 84 & W ROW LARKIN RD TH W 200' S 90' E 200' N 90' TO POB IN ELBA RES Tax & Costs 205.16 Printing Fees 38.22 Total 243.38

HARTLEY DANIEL SHANE & VERNON 02-08-34-0-000-012.003 S/T/R-34/07N/21E COMM @ SW COR NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 E 135' TO P.O.B. CONT E 390.4'; NW 390.4'; SW 262.5' ALG S R/W HWY 125 TH S

Printing Fees 17.76 Total 133.41

262.5' TO P.O.B RES Tax & Costs 144.42 Printing Fees 31.62 Total 176.04

IRON LENDING LLC 07-09-31-0-000-004.003 S/T/R-31/06N/21E COM @ SW COR OF SE 1/4, TH N 840.51' TO POB, TH N 209.58', E 209.49', THS 209.6', W 209.5' TO POB. CONT 1 ACRE. RES Tax & Costs 1429.41 Printing Fees 28.98 Total 1458.39

MADDOX NAOMA J (DEC) C/O JOHN MADDOX 11-04-17-1-001-032.000 S/T/R-17/05N/20E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF NE 1/4 DESC AS BEG 95' SLY FROM SE INT OF B RUNSON ST & DR ROBERTS DR TH SE 396.5' SW 74.4' NW 397.5' NE LY 75' TO POB RES Tax & Costs 171.97 Printing Fees 36.90 Total 208.87

MARLER CHARLES CAROL II 06-09-32-0-000-020.000 S/T/R-32/06N/20E BEG AT INT OF S/L OF NW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 & E R/W OF AL HWY 98, TH E 1720'S, S 1250'S, E 1750'S, NWLY ALG CK 650'S, N 400'S, NE LY 880'S, W 1050'S, NW 1600'S, W 990'S, SW 150', NW 120', SW 300', NW 300 SW 50', SE 400', SW 380'S, NW 180'S, SW 2 39', W 220'S, S'LY 324.70' TO P.O.B. 2 BARN, BARN, 6 BARN, MH, MH S, BARN Tax & Costs 4444.70 Printing Fees 58.02 Total 4502.72

MASSEY JUNIOR RAY & WALDEN BUDDY 02-07-25-0-000-009.005 S/T/R-25/07N/21E B E G AT INT OF N/L OF SEC & W R/W OF CO RD 128, TH ELY 478.9 9', S 260.19' TH SW 101.56', NW 207.72', SW 261.15', NW 295.5 2', NE 398.18' TO POB. CONT 4.71 ACRES. MH, MH S Tax & Costs 290.82 Printing Fees 38.22 Total 329.04

MOORE JAMES DOUGLAS (DEC) KATREEN C/O CANDACE MALLAS 13-05-15-0-000-000.000 S/T/R-15/04N/19E A LOT IN SE 1/4 OF NW 1/4 DESC AS BEG AT SE COR SD 1/4 TH W 210' N 210' E 210' S 210' TO POB CONT 1 AC Tax & Costs 47.46 Printing Fees 29.64 Total 77.10

MOORMAN BARBARA ANNETTE; WEAVER JESSIE C/O JESSIE WEAVER 06-08-28-0-000-001.002 S/T/R-28/06N/20E COM AT INT OF E/L OF SEC & E R/W OF AL HWY 125, TH SWLY 719.5' TO P.O.B. TH SE LY 200'; SWLY 150'; NWLY 200'; NELY 150' TO P.O.B. Tax & Costs 53.12 Printing Fees 34.92 Total 88.04

MOORMAN BARBARA ANNETTE; WEAVER JESSIE C/O JESSIE WEAVER 06-08-28-0-000-001.004 S/T/R-28/06N/20E HWY 125 COM AT INT S/L NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 & E/L HWY 125 NLY 28 0' (S) TO POB SE 200' NE 300' NW 200' TO HWY SWLY ALG HWY 30 0' TO POB Tax & Costs 79.99 Printing Fees 38.22 Total 118.21

MUSIC PATRICIA I OR CHANCEY CHRISTOPHER 20-04-20-2-000-010-029.001 S/T/R-20/03N/19E BEG NE COR LOT 1 BLA BOON SUBD TH W 60' S 20' E 60' N 20' TO POB RES Tax & Costs 139.17 Printing Fees 42.84 Total 182.01

NELSON JOHN & CHRISTINA 11-04-19-0-001-049.000 S/T/R-19/05N/20E EDGEWOOD PARK S/D LOT 19 RES Tax & Costs 383.00 Printing Fees 15.78 Total 398.78

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NEWSON WILLIE M C/O MIKE & CONNIE CARNLEY 01-02-10-0-000-026.000 S/T/R-10/07N/22E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 DESC AS BEG INTER OF S R/W OLD BRY ARVILLE RD & E LINE SAID 1/4; 1/4; S 210'; W LY 105'; N 210'; TO SD R/W; E' LY ALG R/W 105' TO POB RES Tax & Costs 247.68 Printing Fees 43.50 Total 291.18

NOLIN BETTY K 20-04-20-2-001-043.000 S/T/R-20/03N/19E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF NW 1/4 DESC AS BEG ON WLY ROW OF GILMER ST 1 50' SE FROM S ROW SAMSON ST TH CONTESELY 52' TH SWLY 150' TH SELY 52' TH SWLY 9' TH NWLY 104' TH NELY 159' TO POB RES Tax & Costs 87.60 Printing Fees 38.88 Total 126.48

NORRIS CLIFFORD & PAMELA JEAN (BFT) & DE 20-04-17-4-000-015.000 S/T/R-17/03N/19E BEG AT INT OF S R/W OF PIERCE ST AND N R/W OF WARD ST. TH SW LY 200'S, N 172. D' 180'S, SE LY 175'S TO P.O.B. RES Tax & Costs 261.12 Printing Fees 32.94 Total 294.06

NODOM JOSEPH ANTHONY 11-04-18-4-002-034.000 S/T/R-18/05N/20E BROOKDALE SUBD BLK C LOT 16 RES, UTIL Tax & Costs 273.26 Printing Fees 15.78 Total 289.04

PANGBURN CALVIN KENNETH & BARBARA 07-03-07-0-000-000.001 S/T/R-07/06N/21E BEG ON S ROW HWY 125 380' S NE FROM CO RD TH NE ALG HWY 125 420' TH SE 525' TH SW 420' TH NW 525' TO POB Tax & Costs 118.18 Printing Fees 31.62 Total 149.80

PARRISH JOHN T & CRYSTAL M 06-09-31-0-002-037.000 S/T/R-31/06N/20E CEDAR RIDGE SUBD 1ST ADD BLK C LOT 2 RES Tax & Costs 126.07 Printing Fees 19.74 Total 145.81

PRESCOTT HANSEL 11-04-18-4-001-001.001 S/T/R-18/05N/20E COM AT INT N/L SE 1/4 & W ROW PAYNE ST WLY 200'(S) TO POB S 200' W 100' N 200' E 100' TO POB Tax & Costs 6698.39 Printing Fees 27.00 Total 6725.39

PRETTYMAN GREG 11-04-17-2-000-009.000 S/T/R-17/05N/20E COM AT INT OF W R/W OF CORDELIA STREET & N R/W OF N R/W OF PUTNAM ST. TH W 105' TO P.O.B. TH W 120', N 121.21', E 123', S 125' TO P.O.B. Tax & Costs 5539.42 Printing Fees 33.60 Total 5573.02

RICHARDS CYNTHIA RAE 12-02-10-0-000-006.000 S/T/R-10/05N/19E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF NW 1/4 DESC AS FOL BEG @ INT OF N/L OF SD FO RTY & NLY R/W OF US 84 TH WLY 680' TO POB TH WLY 100' TH NLY 200' TO E 100' TH SLY 170' TO POB Tax & Costs 45.34 Printing Fees 37.56 Total 82.90

RUGG DONALD & JOANN 03-07-35-0-000-004.000 S/T/R-35/07N/20E A LOT IN SE 1/4 OF NW 1/4 DESC AS BEG 373' ELY FROM INTER OF W/L SD 40 & S ROW OF COTTON MILL RD & ZION CHAPEL RD TH E 1 84.6' TH SELY 180.4' TH W 304' TH N 140' TO POB RES, BARN, BARN Tax & Costs 472.57 Printing Fees 42.18 Total 514.75

SANDERS JAMES & LOUISE C/O D & C INVESTMENTS 11-04-17-2-000-031.000 S/T/R-17/05N/20E ELBA IMPROVEMENT CO S/D PT OF BLK 12 DESC AS BEG @ INTER OF N/L & THE W R/W OF HICKMAN AVE TH SELY 165' W 157' NWLY 45' NELY 110' SELY 50' NELY 70' SELY 35' TO POB ELBA Tax & Costs 6796.92 Printing Fees 41.52 Total 6838.44

SEBRIGHT MARK DAVID & CHRISTINA 19-09-29-0-000-002.002 S/T/R-29/03N/20E COM @ INT OF W LINE OF SEC & N R/W OF CO RD 492, TH W 59'S T O P.O.B. TH WLY 49.87', NE 587.83', SE 514.78', SW 400.87', W 54.35', N 152.48', W 173.49', S 152.48' TO P.O.B. CONT 3.59 ACRES. MH, MH S Tax & Costs 222.22 Printing Fees 42.84 Total 265.06

SIMMONS LILLIE PEARL C/O JAMES SIMMONS 11-03-08-2-001-020.001 S/T/R-08/05N/20E BRUNSON ADD TO CITY OF ELBA BLK 2 W 1/2 OF LOTS 30 31 32 & 33 IN ELBA RES Tax & Costs 132.45 Printing Fees 28.32 Total 160.77

SMITH CRYSTAL 11-03-07-1-003-041.000 S/T/R-07/05N/20E MULBERRY HGTS SUB BLK 4 LOT 10 Tax & Costs 42.76 Printing Fees 15.12 Total 57.88

SMITH JIM R & SHARON D 11-06-13-0-000-005.003 S/T/R-13/05N/20E BEG @ INT OF S END ON S R/W OF US 84 & N R/W CO RD 501, TH W ' LY 375' S, N 266.64', E 319.55', S 101' TO POB Tax & Costs 89.89 Printing Fees 34.26 Total 124.15

SMITH PATRICIA R & DONALD G 06-09-32-0-000-006.000 S/T/R-32/06N/20E A LOT, PT OF SE 1/4 OF NW 1/4, DESC AS FOLLOWS: BEG 65' S O F NE COR OF SD QUARTER, TH S 145', TH W 137.1', TH NELY 150.9', TH E 1098.5' TO POB (3.7AC) RES Tax & Costs 184.66 Printing Fees 38.88 Total 223.54

SMITH RENEE MICKLE 03-08-27-0-000-001.003 S/T/R-27/07N/20E C O M AT INT OF E/L OF SEC & N R/W OF CO. RD 325, TH NWLY 965 'S TO POB. TH NW 288.23', NLY 218.75', NE 510.21', S 341.46', W 162.22', S 90' TO POB. CONT 3.17 ACRES. RES Tax & Costs 607.64 Printing Fees 37.56 Total 645.20

STINSON DAVID SHAWN & NICOLE R 11-03-08-3-001-042.001 S/T/R-08/05N/20E A LOT IN NE 1/4 OF SW 1/4 DESC AS FOL BEG AT A PT ON S ROW NEW TON ST 100' NE OF SE COR NEWTON & N CLAXTON TH CONT NE ALG S ROW NEWTON ST 87' TH SE 103' SW 75' NW 98' TO POB RES Tax & Costs 193.43 Printing Fees 44.16 Total 237.59

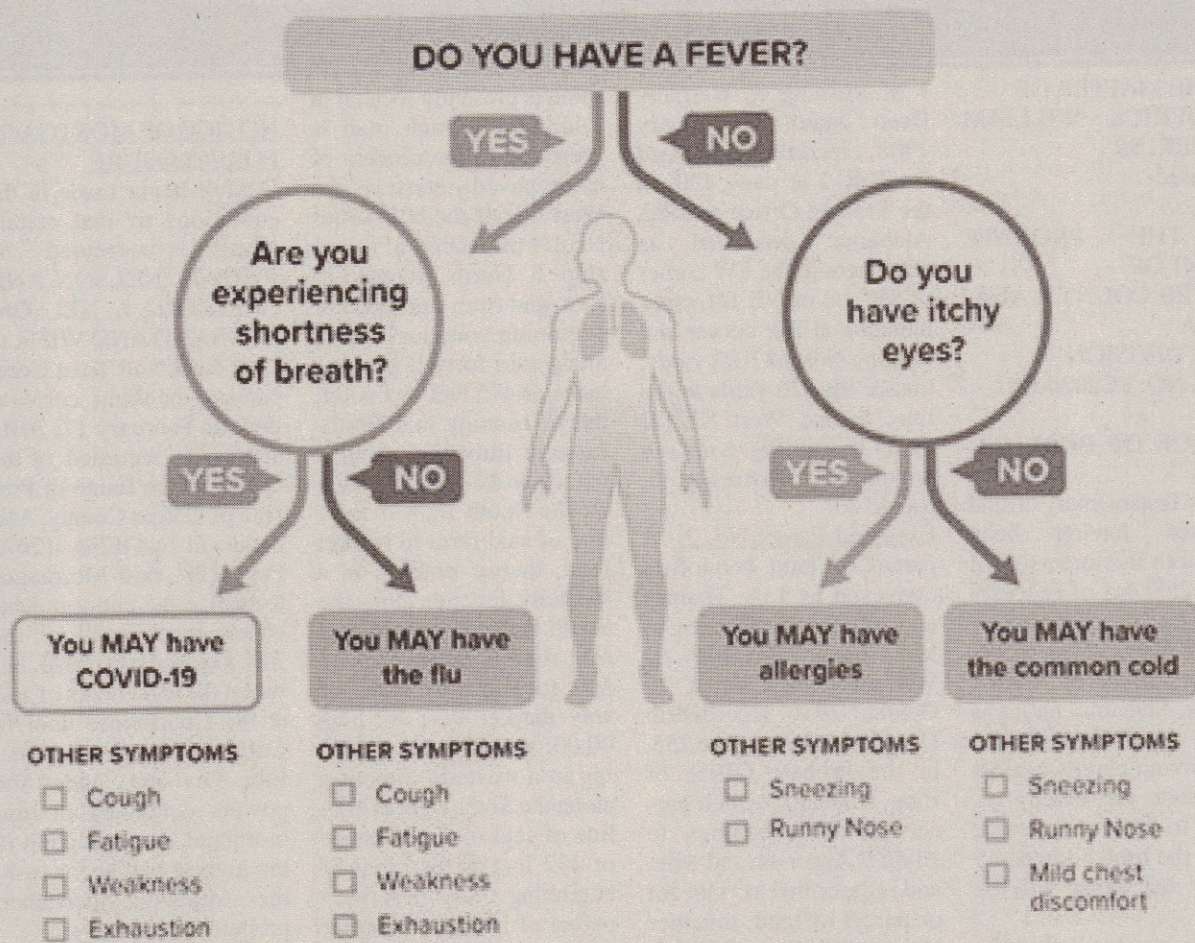
STOKES LAWRENCE A JR & PENNY S 05-02-03-0-000-006.001 S/T/R-03/06N/19E BEG SW/COR SW 1/4 OF SE 1/4, TH N 4580', E 1250', S 850', E 1 260', S 635' SW 230', S 300', W 140', N 150', W 330', S 450', W 700', S 700', E 700', S 670'S, W 2460'S TO POB. CONT. 165 ACRES. BARN, MH Tax & Costs 392.76 Printing Fees 42.84 Total 435.60

STRASSBURG DEREK J 05-04-18-0-000-002.002 S/T/R-18/06N/19E BEG @ NW COR NE 1/4 OF NW 1/4, E 358', S 440'(S) TO MCGINTY S PRINGS BR, NWLY ALG BR 430'(S), N 200'(S) TO POB RES, UTIL Tax & Costs 212.94 Printing Fees 28.32 Total 241.26

TAYLOR LARRY & KIM 13-05-21-0-000-001.004 S/T/R-21/04N/19E C O M AT INT OF N/L OF SEC & S R/W OF CO RD 26 TH SELY 350'(S) TO POB TH SWLY 234', SE LY 200', NELY 234' NWLY 200' TO P OB RES, POOL Tax & Costs 778.70 Printing Fees 33.60 Total 812.30

TAYLOR LARRY F & KIM 13-05-21-0-000-001.000 S/T/R-21/04N/19E BEG AT NW COR OF NE 1/4, TH E 2420'S, SW 81.49', NW 150.15', SW 318.51', NW 168'S, SW 234', SE 200', NE 234', SE 480'S, S 680'S, W 2611'S, N 1343'S TO POB. CONT 74 ACRES. RES, 3 BARN, 2 BARN, 6

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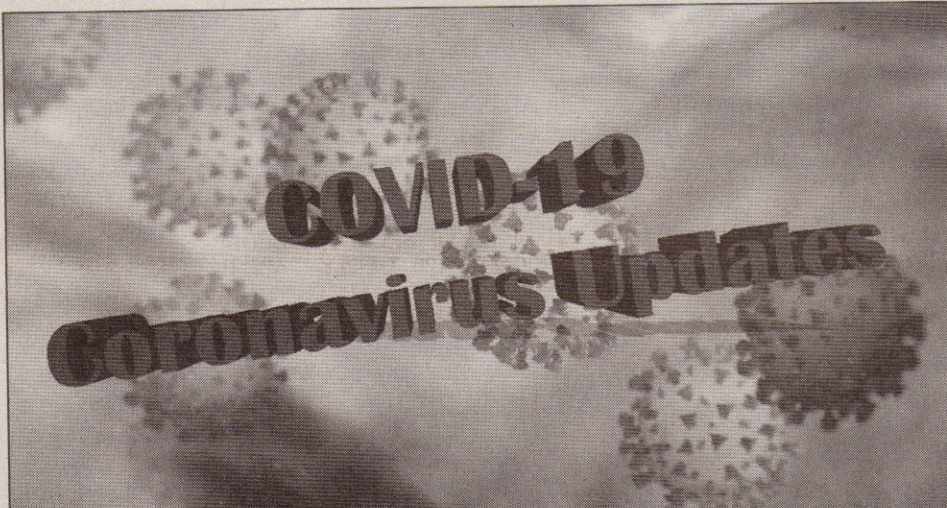
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on-premises consumption of food or drink for one week. This order will be re-evaluated at the end of one week.

"These measures taken by the Alabama Department of Public Health are out of an abundance of caution in order to contain the area where the most cases of the COVID-19 are present," Governor Ivey said. "Alabamians living in Jefferson County and its surrounding counties are currently the most vulnerable to contracting the Coronavirus. I ask that Alabamians who live in these counties adhere to these regulations and would urge the rest of our state to do so as well, in order to mitigate the impact of the virus."

Ivey said ADPH is also strongly encouraging other counties across the state to adhere to these same guidelines as well, though not directly advised for them as of yet.

"I am encouraged to see so many of our citizens voluntarily self-regulate by practicing social-distancing - choosing to be safe rather



than sorry is always the smart move," the governor said. "We should not take precautionary measures for granted, but I encourage everyone to remember the old adage 'this too shall pass.' Adhering to smart protocol and practicing a little patience will pull us through this."

Alabama's state health officer Dr. Scott Harris added, "We need to do whatever it takes to ensure the safety of Alabamians and stop the spread of Coronavirus. The measures that have been taken in Jefferson

County are an important step. We are taking similar actions in the surrounding counties and encouraging all counties throughout the state to follow suit."

To help prevent the spread of respiratory viruses including COVID-19, the public is urged to continue practicing social distancing and other precautionary measures, including:

- Wash hands with soap and water.
- Use alcohol-based hand sanitizers if handwashing is not possible.
- Cover your mouth and

nose with a tissue, or cough or sneeze into your elbow.

- Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth with unwashed hands.
- Stay home when sick.
- Stay away from people who are sick.

Visit alabamapublichealth.gov/infectiousdiseases/2019-coronavirus.html for more COVID-19 information.

For the latest information daily provided to The Elba Clipper on the COVID-19 outbreak, check the website: www.elba-clipper.com and our Facebook page.

TAX LEGALS
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BARN,BARN,UTIL
Tax & Costs 1628.47
Printing Fees 40.20
Total 1668.67

TAYLOR LARRY F & KIM W
13-05-21-0-000-001.002
S/T/R-21/04N/19E S 1/2 OF
NE 1/4 & NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4
Tax & Costs 265.97
Printing Fees 20.40
Total 286.37

TAYLOR LARRY F & KIM W
13-05-22-0-000-004.000
S/T/R-22/04N/19E ALL THAT
PART OF NW-NW LYING S &
W OF CO RD 26
Tax & Costs 31.19
Printing Fees 21.72
Total 52.88

TOMPKINS NELL REDDOCK
C/O HELGA BULLARD 11-05-
16-2-000-036.000 S/T/R-
16/05N/20E C O M
@ INT S R/W HWY 84 & N
R/W REDDOCK HILL RD
S'WLY 270'(S) TO POB S'WLY
140'(S) N'LY 140' S'ELY 70'(S)
S'ELY 100'(S) T O POB
Tax & Costs 42.76
Printing Fees 31.62
Total 74.38

TOMPKINS NELL REDDOCK
C/O HELGA BULLARD 11-04-
17-1-001-052.000 S/T/R-
17/05N/20E A LOT
IN S1/2 OF NE1/4 E/S DR
ROBERTS DR DESC AS FOL
BEG AT INT OF E R/W SAID
DR & S R/W REDDOCK HILL
RD TH S 200' TO PO B TH E
300' TH S 200' TH W 300' TH
N 200' TO POB
Tax & Costs 62.52
Printing Fees 44.16
Total 106.68

TROY LAND INVESTMENTS
LLC C/O CINDY MENDEN-
HALL 02-03-05-0-000-005.001
S/T/R-05/07N/21E BEG AT
SW COR NW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 &
TH E 1370'S, N 600', NW'LY
100', SW'LY 453.76', NW'LY
346.94', NELY 435.72', NW'LY
73' S, SW'LY 216.09', NW
218.99', NE 243.54', NW
187.83', W 586.28', S 1330'S
TO P.O.B. CONT 30 AC 2
MH,BARN,2 MH S
Tax & Costs 690.70
Printing Fees 44.82
Total 735.52

TROY LAND INVESTMENTS
LLC 02-03-05-0-000-005.002
S/T/R-05/07N/21E C O M
AT INT OF E/L OF NW1/4 OF
SW1/4 & W R/W OF CO RD
201, NW 100' TO POB. SE
453.76', NE' 346.94', NE
453.72', SE 487.32' TO POB.
CONT. 4.31 ACRES.
BARN,UTIL
Tax & Costs 133.74
Printing Fees 34.26
Total 168.00

TROY LAND INVESTMENTS
LLC 02-03-05-0-000-005.003
S/T/R-05/07N/21E C O M
AT NW COR OF THE NW 1/4
OF SW 1/4, TH E 586.28', SE
187.83' TO P.O.B. SE 268.35',
SW 216.09', NW 218.99', NE
243.54' TO P.O.B. CONT 1.27
SHOP
Tax & Costs 665.63
Printing Fees 32.94
Total 698.57

WALDEN AUBREY LEE &
FARRER KATHRINE 04-06-
24-0-000-015.001 S/T/R-
24/07N/19E COM @ INT OF
W/L OF SEC & N R/W CO RD
321; TH E 660' S TO PO B; TH
E 387.1'; N 360'; SW 303.7'; S'

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LY 330' S TO POB. CON T
2.04 ACRES. MH S,MH,BARN
Tax & Costs 313.45
Printing Fees 38.88
Total 352.33

WALKER SHARON R 06-09-
31-0-002-040.000 S/T/R-
31/06N/20E CEDAR RIDGE
SUBD BLK A LOT 5 RES
Tax & Costs 141.80
Printing Fees 16.44
Total 158.24

WARD BERNICE I 02-02-
09-0-000-020.016 S/T/R-
09/07N/21E COM AT INT OF
S/L OF THE NE 1/4 OF SE/14
AND THE E R/W OF CO RD
200, TH NW 105' TO P.O.B.
NW 316.54', NE 282.48', SE
324.17', SW 225.56' TO P.O.B.
CONT - 1.83 AC BARN,2
MH,MH S,MH S,BARN
Tax & Costs 358.46
Printing Fees 34.26
Total 392.72

WARD BERNICE I 02-06-
13-0-000-005.001 S/T/R-
13/07N/21E BEG @ INT N/L
NE1/4 & W R/W HWY 125; W
576.5'; S 208.7'; E 194'; NE'LY
123.4'; SE'LY 170'; NE'LY 20';
SE'LY 30'; SW'LY 2 0'; SE'LY
80'; NE'LY 210' TO POB MH
Tax & Costs 222.22
Printing Fees 34.26
Total 256.48

WARD BERNICE I 02-02-
09-0-000-020.008 S/T/R-
09/07N/21E COMM @ INT S/L
NW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 & W R/W
CO RD 78; N' WLY ALG RD;
420' TO P.O.B.; W 210'; N' WLY
210'; E 210' S' ELY 210' TO
POB RES,2 UTIL
Tax & Costs 735.65
Printing Fees 38.88
Total 774.53

WATERS DORIS 11-03-07-1-
001-063.001 S/T/R-
07/05N/20E LOTS 11 & 12 BLK
7 MULBERRY HGTS S/D MB-
1 PG 465
Tax & Costs 50.66
Printing Fees 18.42
Total 69.08

WELDON ROBERT 04-05-15-
0-000-001.001 S/T/R-
15/07N/19E COM @ SE COR
OF SW 1/4 OF SE 1/4, TH W
340' S TO POB, TH S 2 50',
NW' LY 969.64', N 2632.54', E
946.67', S 2567.28' TO PO B
MH,BARN,UTIL
Tax & Costs 265.03
Printing Fees 32.28
Total 297.31

WILLIAMS JAMES DANIEL &
HOLLY LYNN 03-06-23-0-000-
012.008 S/T/R-23/07N/20E
COM AT NW COR OF SE 1/4,
TH S 774.89' TO POB. TH E
570.46', SW 1058.50', NW
339.98', N 903.66' TO POB.
CONT 10 ACRES. MH
Tax & Costs 104.33
Printing Fees 30.30
Total 134.63

WILLIAMS R B 11-03-07-2-
000-021.000 S/T/R-
07/05N/20E BEG @
SE CORNER OF LOT 2 BLK A
KENNEDY ESTATES PB-1,
PG-80, TH SW 149.5', NW
131', NE 150', SE 131' TO
P.O.B. CONT 44 AC(C), RE
Tax & Costs 217.80
Printing Fees 30.30
Total 248.10

Public
Notices:

NOTICE OF APPOINT-
MENT TO BE PUB-
LISHED BY PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE OR
ADMINISTRATOR

ESTATE OF
HAZEL LEE MARLER
ENNIS,
DECEASED

PROBATE COURT
PC2020-008

Letters of Administration of
said deceased having been
granted to the undersigned
on the 12th day of March,
2020, by the Hon. Jodee R.
Thompson, Judge of the Pro-
bate Court of Coffee County,
notice is hereby given that
all persons having claims
against said estate are hereby
required to present the same
within the time allowed by
law or the same will be
barred.
/s/ Brenda Kay Ennis
Pridgen,
Personal Representative
3/19,26&4/2-paid

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they are aware that all field trips for Elba City Schools, as well as, any assemblies or activities with large crowds are canceled until April 30th, effective immediately.

"This will affect the majority of our elementary school classes as most had field trips planned for April," Moseley said. "I hate the opportunities they will miss out on because of this situation, but we have to do what is necessary for the well-being of our students."

In compliance with Alabama High School Athletic Association [AHSAA] recommendations, spring sporting events are on hold at this time as well, with Tuesday, March 17, being the last date for any athletic activity until further notified.

"On Friday, March 13, the Governor and the Alabama State Department of Education released directives to close all schools across the state for a period of 2.5 weeks beginning Wednesday, March 18," ASHAA executive director Steve Savarese said. "As a

result, all athletic events and activities including, but not limited to, contests, practices, weightlifting, and conditioning are hereby suspended during this time."

Savarese further noted that the AHSAA had created a Spring Sport Contingency Committee to study and provide a plan regarding regular season and championship play. He said the date schools return to a regular schedule would determine what plan is implemented for the remainder of the school year.

"We are under advisement by the state to follow all these precautions, and as superintendent, I feel it is important to do our best to follow the recommendations of the health experts, and other state officials on this matter," Moseley said. "I realize there are lots of questions that are not currently answered due to the cancellation of several trips and activities, and I ask our community to please be patient with us as we work to get the answers ourselves."

Moseley said the school system would keep the cit-

izens of Elba as informed as possible as information becomes clearer on these matters. He said there are lots of questions for all involved but he assures everyone that Elba City Schools is doing everything it can to make sure the safety of the students is the number one priority.

"We want to be as fair as we can to everyone involved from having to cancel/postpone events to looking into refunds on trips that were already paid for by parents," Moseley said. "Please be patient with us as we all work through this together, and we will pass information along to you all as soon as it becomes available to us. We also will continue to provide information on any further cancellations affecting our schools."

Moseley said he knows this situation is hard on all, and he feels bad for it. However, he insisted the safety of the students must come first.

"I am a superintendent, but I also am a father," he said. "I too have to go home and tell my daughters that

they will not be going on their field trips. That is no fun, but we must do what is best for our schools as a whole."

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IN THE MATTER OF
FREDERICK WILLIAM
RAINER, SR.,
Deceased.

IN THE PROBATE
COURT OF
COFFEE COUNTY, ALA-
BAMA
ELBA DIVISION
CASE NO: PC2020-010

NOTICE OF PUBLICA- TION

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of February 2020 by the Honorable Steven Blair, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Witness my hand this the 25th day of February 2020.

/s/ Frederick William Rainer, Jr. and Melanie R. Bledsoe
Co-Personal Representatives
3/12,19&26-pd.

McClain Contracting Company, Inc. has completed the contract requirements for City of Elba Downtown Revitalization; CDBG Project No. LR-CM-PF-18-020.

ANY PERSONS HAVING A CLAIM FOR LABOR, MATERIALS, OR EQUIPMENT AGAINST THIS PROJECT SHOULD NOTIFY DeAnn Grantham, P.E., Southern Engineering Solutions, 201 E. Troy Street, Andalusia, AL; 334.222.1849 or City of Elba, 200 Buford Street, Elba, Alabama; 334.897.2333.

CONTRACTOR CONTACT:
McClain Contracting Company, Inc.
105 Chocataw Street
Andalusia, AL 36420
3/12,19,26 & 4/2-pd

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Default being made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by DENNIS SMITH AND JAN SMITH, AS HUSBAND AND WIFE, to Troy Bank and Trust Company, a banking corporation, as successor by merger to The Peoples Bank of Coffee County, on August 16, 2002, and being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama in A/OFFR BK 64A, Page 169; and Default being made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by DENNIS SMITH AND JAN Y. SMITH, AS HUSBAND AND WIFE, to Troy Bank and Trust Company, a banking corporation, as successor by merger to The Peoples Bank of Coffee County, on May 25, 2006, and being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama in A/OFFR 95A, Page 474.

Said Mortgagee to realize the entire indebtedness hereby will, on the 21st day of April, 2020, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse door in Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, under the powers contained in said mortgages, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:

Tract No. 1: The Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, containing 181.84 acres, more or less, LESS AND EXCEPT three parcels of land described as follows:

Excepted Parcel No. 1: A parcel of land heretofore conveyed by J. A. Thames and wife, Mollie Thames, to

J. M. Rushing, by Warranty Deed dated 30 January 1908, recorded in Deed Book K-2 at page 470, in the Probate Office at Elba, Alabama, described as "One acre in the SW corner of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, commencing at SW corner and running North 87 1/2 yards, thence SE 120 yards to the line, thence West 87 1/2 yards to starting point, in Section 5, Township 6, Range 20."

Excepted Parcel No. 2: A parcel of land heretofore conveyed by J. A. Thames and wife, M. M. Thames, to Mrs. Vannie Lee Kelley, by Warranty Deed dated 20 October 1936, recorded in Deed Book 6-A at page 255, in the Probate Office of Elba, Alabama, which parcel presently belongs to Alvin P. Anderson and wife, and is described as "One lot or parcel of land, together with the dwellings and other improvements thereon, being more particularly described as follows: Commencing where the landline between the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) and the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section 5, Township 6, Range 20, crosses the public road and running thence South along said landline 233 feet; thence East 210 feet; thence North 183 feet to said public road; thence West along said road to the point of beginning; containing one (1) acre, more or less, together with all improvements thereon."

Excepted Parcel No. 3: A parcel, or parcels, or land designated as Parcels A and B, heretofore conveyed by John D. Thames, a widower, to Alvin P. Anderson and Sue G. Anderson, husband and wife, by warranty deed dated 15 December 1969, recorded Deed Book 52-A at page 428, described as follows: "PARCEL A: One lot or parcel of land containing one-third acre, more or less, lying in and being part of the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 5, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the point where the North right of way line of a farm to market road, as the same is presently located in said forty (which road is presently in the process of being paved) intersects the West line of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 5, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, and running thence in an Easterly direction along the North right of way line of said road a distance of 227 feet to the point of beginning of the parcel herein conveyed (which point is also the Southeast corner of a parcel of land belonging to Alvin P. Anderson); thence from said point of beginning continuing in an easterly direction along the North right of way line of said road a distance of 198 feet to its point of intersection with the center of an unpaved public road; thence running in a Northwesterly direction along the center of said unpaved public road a distance of 296 feet to a point; and thence running South, and along the East property line of the Alvin P. Anderson lot a distance of 130 feet to the point of beginning. Said parcel of land is triangular in shape, and is bound on the West by the Alvin P. Anderson home lot, on the South by the farm to market road, and on the Northeast by an unpaved county road. PARCEL B: One lot or parcel of land containing two and one-fourth acres, more or less, lying in and being part of the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 5, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the point where the South right of way line of a farm to market road, as the

same is presently located in said forty (which road is presently in the process of being paved) intersects the West line of the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 5, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, and from said point of beginning running South along said forty line a distance of 475 feet to a point; thence running in a North-easterly direction along a fence line 424 feet to a point on the South right of way line of said farm to market road; thence running in a Westerly direction along the South right of way line of said road a distance of 34 feet to Highway right of way marker POT 30 plus 00.00; and thence continuing in a westerly direction along the South right of way line of said road a distance of 432 feet to the point of beginning. Said described parcel of land is triangular in shape and is bound on the West by the forty line, on the South by the lands of John D. Thames, and on the North by the farm to market road. NOTE: The description of this parcel of land includes a small, wedge shaped parcel of land which already belongs to Alvin P. Anderson and Sue G. Anderson."

Tract No. 2: One acre in the Northeast corner of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 commencing at the corner stob running South 87 1/2 yards, thence Northwest 120 yards to landline, thence East 87 1/2 yards back to starting point of Section 5, Township 6, Range 20.

Tract No. 3: All that part of the NW 1/4 of Section 4, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, lying West of a line, which line follows the center line of Bluff Creek as it presently runs from the North line of the aforementioned lands in a South-easterly direction through said lands. ALSO: All that part of the W 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 4, Township 6 North, Range 20 East, lying East and South of the center line of Big Creek. This tract of land contains, in the aggregate, 65.30 acres, more or less.

The three tracts of land described hereinabove contain, in the aggregate, 242.64 acres, more or less. The above property is being sold "AS IS" and is subject to any and all reservations, easements, restrictions, covenants, rights of way, and all matters of record. Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt, costs and expenses arising out of the mortgagors' default, including attorney's fees. Please be advised that Allen C. Jones, as a debt collector, is attempting to collect the debt identified herein and that any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Alabama law gives some persons who have an interest in property the right to redeem the property under certain circumstances. Programs may also exist that help persons avoid or delay the foreclosure process. An attorney should be consulted to help you understand these rights and programs as a part of the foreclosure process.

TROY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
P.O. Box 967
Troy, Alabama 36081
MORTGAGEE

ALLEN C. JONES
202 W. Walnut Street
Troy, Alabama 36081
ATTORNEY FOR MORTGAGEE
3/19,26, & 4/2-chg

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Default being made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by JOHN R. NELSON AND CHRISTINA L. NELSON, HUSBAND AND WIFE, to Troy Bank and Trust Company, a banking corporation, on February 17, 2010, and being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama in A/OFFR 126A, Page 128, said Mortgagee to realize the entire indebtedness hereby will, on the 21st day of April, 2020, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse door in Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, under the powers contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:

Lot No. 19 of Edgewood Park Subdivision, a Subdivision of a Portion of Section 19, T5N, R20E, in Coffee County, Alabama, according to a plat of said subdivision recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 88, in the Probate Office at Elba, Alabama. Together with dwelling and other improvements thereon. LESS AND EXCEPT, one-half interest in gas, oil and mineral rights which are reserved to the former owners of said property.

The above property is being sold "AS IS" and is subject to any and all reservations, easements, restrictions, covenants, rights of way, and all matters of record.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt, costs and expenses arising out of the mortgagors' default, including attorney's fees. Please be advised that Allen C. Jones, as a debt collector, is attempting to collect the debt identified herein and that any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Alabama law gives some persons who have an interest in property the right to redeem the property under certain circumstances. Programs may also exist that help persons avoid or delay the foreclosure process. An attorney should be consulted to help you understand these rights and programs as a part of the foreclosure process.

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Troy, Alabama 36081
MORTGAGEE
ALLEN C. JONES
202 W. Walnut Street
Troy, Alabama 36081
ATTORNEY FOR MORTGAGEE

3/19, 26, & 4-2/chg.

NOTICE OF ELECTION
STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE
Pursuant to and in accordance with Ala. Code § 17-9-5 (1975), and such other requirements, I, Jodee R. Thomson, Judge of Probate of Coffee County, do hereby give notice that the Republican Primary Run-off Election and will be conducted in Coffee County on Tuesday, March 31, 2020. The offices to appear on the ballot are as follows:

United States Senator
United States Representative 2nd Congressional District
Court of Criminal Appeals Judge, Place No. 2
/s/ Jodee R. Thompson, Judge of Probate
Coffee County, Alabama
3/19/chg

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SPORTS NEWS

Views From
The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

Our grandson Lawson may have been the only student at the Elba Elementary School that was upset last week when it was announced the school would be closed for two and one half weeks in response to the worldwide virus that had been declared a pandemic. He really enjoys being around his fellow classmates and teachers, and wanted to know if he could still go to school and just wash his hands more often. I guess we will have to find something to do over the extended spring break to keep him busy!

For what it is worth....

*** *The Elba Tigers successful 5-2 start* on the baseball diamond was no more than a pleasant memory last week after three straight losses dropped their record to 5-5. The Tigers bats didn't show up in an early week loss to Goshen, failed to produce with runners in scoring position in a close loss to Brantley, and then went quiet again in a big loss to the Bulldogs. Elba's pitching continued to be solid in all three losses, but the lack of hits and some crucial errors in the field proved to be too much to overcome. In sports, a team is considered only as good as its last game, but we'll keep the hope here that the Tigers will rebound and recapture their early-season success on their way to the playoffs.

*** *The Elba Lady Tigers captured a much-needed win* last week after an 0-5 start as they pounded Zion Chapel 15-4. The Lady Tigers beat the ball all over the ballpark up at Zion Chapel in the lopsided win, and were led by Mikenzy Hooks at the plate with three doubles and a home run, and inside the circle by seventh-grader Ayrika Caldwell, who went the distance. The win should pump some life into the Lady Tigers as they head into area play this week.

*** *It was an interesting week* of baseball and softball action with plenty of games played by all area teams. In baseball, Brantley dropped an early-week game to Geneva, but bounced back with some big wins and is no doubt a state title contender, while Kinston clobbered Daleville, again, and may be a lot better than many fans realize; Zion Chapel continued to improve and is now a solid 2A team; and, New Brockton enjoyed a little time off. On the softball field, Brantley ran its winning streak to 12 games before running into a wall at a tournament in Dothan and suffering three losses, while New Brockton grabbed a key area win, Kinston kept on improving and Zion Chapel continued its early-season struggles. It will be interesting to see just how the long break affects the area teams, and how they will bounce back if, and when, the season continues.

*** *I am a firm believer* that much of the panic over the coronavirus reached a peak after the NBA suspended its season and the NCAA shut down its basketball tournament and then canned all spring sports. I know the virus is a deadly illness and must be contained, but this is a nation of sports fanatics and when the seasons were halted it got even more attention from those that probably hadn't paid much attention. While I have my doubts about the virus and its source, I do agree with Connecticut women's basketball coach Geno Auriemma. The highly successful college coach stated, "Sports is what separates people from worrying about color, religion and race. Sports is the one thing that makes people come together and rally around my team versus your team. People treat winning and losing like its life and death. Maybe in some philosophical way that is a reminder that it's a game, man."

Tigers caged by Goshen 6-1

The Elba Tigers hosted the Goshen Eagles last week in an afternoon matinee and managed only one hit in a 6-1 loss.

Goshen wasted little time taking command in the non-area game as the Eagles combined a bunt single, a walk and a three-run homer in the top of the first inning to jump out to an early 3-0 lead.

Goshen too advantage of a base hit and an Elba error to up its lead to 4-0 in the third, while the Tigers had their best offensive inning of the day in the bottom of the frame as Peyton McCart and John Martin Wilson both drew walks and advanced to second and third with two outs. A grounder to

the pitcher turned into out three; however, as Elba failed to get on the scoreboard.

Goshen added a lone run in both the fifth and seventh innings to increase its lead to 6-0, and while Elba did finally get on the scoreboard in the bottom of the seventh, it was way too little, way too late to catch the Eagles.

Paxton Wise drew a walk to open the Tigers half of the seventh, stole second, and raced home on an rbi single by Isaac Watkins to close the book on the 6-1 loss at home.

Isaac Watkins had the only hit for Elba and added one rbi, while Paxton Wise scored the lone Tiger run, with two outs. A grounder to

Area record slips to 2-2

Tigers swept by Brantley 6-2, 11-0

The Elba Tigers saw their area record slip to 2-2 last week after dropping a doubleheader to the Brantley Bulldogs 6-2 and 11-0.

Following is a recap of both games:

Brantley 6 Elba 2

The Elba Tigers jumped out to an early 2-1 lead, but failed to reach the plate again over the game's final five innings as the Brantley Bulldogs rallied to claim a 6-2 area win, in the first game of a doubleheader, in Brantley.

Brantley took a 1-0 lead in the bottom of the first when Lucas Richardson reached on a lead off walk and later came around the score on a fielder's choice, but Elba bounced right back in the top of the second and plated two runs to grab a 2-1 advantage.

A leadoff double by Connor Burrow and an rbi single by Paxton Wise pulled the Tigers even at 1-1, while Wise came around to score when Carson Wise followed with an rbi double to put Elba on top 2-1.

Brantley pushed across an unearned run in the bottom of the third to pull even at 2-2, then combined two hits with two Elba errors in the fourth to take a 5-2 lead.

The Tigers stranded runners on third base in the third, fifth and seventh innings, while Brantley pushed across an insurance run in the sixth to seal the deal on the 6-2 area win.

Connor Burrow had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead Elba at the plate, while Paxton Wise added 1 hit and



Elba Tiger Blake Swan delivers a pitch in last week's area clash with Brantley. Swan limited the Bulldogs to six hits and four earned runs in a 6-2 loss.

(Photo by BC Sports Photography)

scored 1 run and Carson Wise added 1 hit and 1 rbi. Blake Swan took the loss on the mound as he pitched five and two-thirds innings and allowed four earned runs on six hits, while striking out four.

Lucas Richardson had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi to lead Brantley, while Adam Carlisle added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's, and Jack Kennedy added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Mark Nichols was the winning pitcher as he tossed a complete game and allowed two earned runs on seven hits, while striking out two.

pulled away and claimed the 11-0 win in five innings. Iverson Lane and Collin Sauls both had doubles to lead the Tigers at the plate, while John Martin Wilson was saddled with the loss on the mound as he pitched three and two-thirds innings and allowed seven earned runs on eight hits.

Bryce Dunn had 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs at the plate, while Jack Kennedy added 2 hits, 2 runs scored and 3 rbi's; Adam Carlisle added 2 hits, 1 run scored and 3 rbi's; and, Tucker Kilcrease added 2 hits and 2 runs scored. Samuel Tompkins was the winning pitcher as he tossed three innings, allowed one hit and struck out eight.

Lady Tigers zap Zion 15-4

The Elba Lady Tigers put an end to their early-season losing streak last week with a dominating 15-4 romp over the Zion Chapel Lady Rebels.

Elba went down in order in the top of the first and then watched as Zion Chapel plated two runs in the bottom of the frame to grab an early 2-0 lead. However, the Lady Tigers broke loose in the top of the second and plated seven runs to grab a big 7-2 advantage.

A leadoff double by Mikenzy Hooks ignited the second inning fireworks, while Ayrika Caldwell delivered a one-out rbi double to put the Lady Tigers on the scoreboard, and then scored on an rbi single by Hailee Layton to pull Elba even at

2-2. An rbi single by Danaejah Flowers and an rbi double by Madison Dooley kept the rally alive and put the Lady Tigers on top 4-2, and Aimee Senn added an rbi double and Mikenzy Hooks came through with a bases loaded double as the Lady Tigers took command.

Zion Chapel cut the lead to 7-3 in the bottom of the inning, but the Lady Tigers added a run in the third to up their lead to 8-3 when Hailee Layton and Danaejah Flowers singled, and Layton raced home on an rbi single by Aimee Senn.

Elba continued its assault at the plate in the fourth inning as the Lady Tigers banged out six hits and plated five runs to extend their lead to 13-3. A leadoff triple by Jaylyn Baker lit the fuse on the offensive fireworks, while Mikenzy Hooks added her third double of the game to drive in Baker, Zaida Williams added an rbi double, and Hailee Layton and Aimee Senn both delivered key rbi triples as the Lady Tigers took complete command.

Mikenzy Hooks blasted a two-run homer in the top of the fifth to push Elba's lead to 15-3, and the Lady Tigers easily held on to claim the 15-4 road win.

Mikenzy Hooks had 4 hits, scored 3 runs and knocked in 5 runs to lead Elba at the plate, while Aimee Senn added 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's; Hailee Layton added 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's; Ayrika Caldwell added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and, Jaylyn Baker added 1 hit and scored 3 runs.

Ayrika Caldwell was the winning pitcher as she pitched five innings and allowed three earned runs on five hits, while striking out seven.



Elba Lady Tiger Ayrika Caldwell delivers a pitch in last week's 15-4 win over Zion Chapel. The seventh-grader allowed only five hits and struck out seven in the win.

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Recreation director Greg Hanchey said, "We will continue to monitor the situation and keep you informed. May we all be vigilant, but let us not forget to love life and count every day as a blessing!"

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SPORTS NEWS



Brantley Bulldog Lucas Richardson (2) rounds third base and heads home. Richardson had 5 hits, scored 3 runs and collected 4 runs batted in in last week's 14-13 win over Montgomery Academy.

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Spotlight on the
OUTDOORS



BEN RAYBORN caught this 7-pound bass and 14 shell-cracker on Friday, March 13, while fishing at the Coffee County Lake. He was using red worms for bait.



SHERMAN WILKERSON shows off two of the six shell-cracker he caught last Thursday, March 12, while fishing at the Coffee County Lake. The six fish weighed in at a total of eight pounds.

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BASEBALL:

Brantley clobbers Red Level 14-1

The Brantley Bulldogs pulled ahead early and pulled away late to defeat the Red Level Tigers 14-1. Lucas Richardson had 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs at the plate, while Tucker Kilcrease added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's; Jack Kennedy added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's; and Bryce Dunn and Luke Kilcrease both added 2 hits and scored 2 runs. Jack Kennedy, Dillon Smith and Ethan Weed combined to toss a no-hitter with nine strikeouts.

Brantley stunned by Wicksburg 7-3

The Brantley Bulldogs fell behind early and never caught up in a 7-3 loss to the Wicksburg Panthers. Tucker Kilcrease had 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi to lead the Bulldogs at the plate, while Samuel Tompkins added 1 hit and scored 1 run and Bryce Dunn added 1 hit and had 1 rbi.

Brantley Bulldogs dump Geneva 8-4

The Brantley Bulldogs scored four runs in their final at-bat to claim an exciting 8-4 win over the Geneva Panthers, in nine innings. Samuel Tompkins had 2 hits, both doubles, scored 2 runs and had 3 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs at the plate, while Dalton Daniels added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and, Jack Kennedy added 1 hit and 2 rbi's. Tucker Kilcrease was the winning pitcher, in relief, as he pitched four innings, allowed only one hit and struck out four.

Kinston Bulldogs rip Daleville 21-4

The Kinston Bulldogs jumped ahead 10-0 in the opening inning and rolled to a lopsided 21-4 win over the Daleville Warhawks. Owen Patterson had 3 hits, scored 4 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs, while Jeb Crosby added 3 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's; Colby Copeland added 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's; Cale Sumblin added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's; Matt Hughes added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's; and, Tripp Hawthorne added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi. Blayne Moore was the winning pitcher in relief as he tossed two innings and struck out three.

Zion Chapel falls to Squadron 11-10

The Zion Chapel Rebels saw an early lead evaporate in a wild 11-10 loss to the Highland Home Flying Squadron. Paden Boothe had 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi to lead the Rebels at the plate, while Austin Johns added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's; and, Nate Braisted added 2 hits.

Brantley edges Montgomery Ac. 14-13

The Brantley Bulldogs erased an early 5-1 deficit and scored two runs in their final trip to the plate in a wild 14-13 win over the Montgomery Academy Eagles. Lucas Richardson had 5 hits, scored 3 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs at the plate, while Tucker Kilcrease added 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 3 rbi's; Jack Kennedy added 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi'; and, Bryce Dunn added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's.

Zion Chapel edged by Luverne 9-8

The Zion Chapel Rebels saw an 8-4 eighth inning lead vanish in a 9-8 loss to the Luverne Tigers. Nate Braisted had 3 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Rebels at the plate, while Paden Boothe added 2 hits and 1 rbi, and Austin Johns added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's.

Rebels sweep McKenzie 8-0, 12-2

The Zion Chapel Rebels swept past the McKenzie Tigers as they claimed a doubleheader sweep by the scores of 8-0 and 12-2.

In the opener, Brayden Watson had 2 hits and scored 2 runs to lead the Rebels at the plate, while Nate Braisted added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and Paden Boothe and Stetson Adcock both added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Paden Boothe was the winning pitcher as he tossed a three-hitter with nine strikeouts.

In game two, the Rebels pulled ahead early and pulled away late to complete the sweep of the Tigers. Nate Braisted, Brockston Bragg and Ben Hutchinson all had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi to lead the Rebels at the plate, while Bryce Watson added 1 hit and scored 2 runs, and Brayden Watson added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Bryson Bivins was the winning pitcher as he tossed five and two-thirds innings and allowed one earned run on four hits, with seven strikeouts.

Zion Chapel falls to Luverne 8-2

The Zion Chapel Rebels never led in a hard fought 8-2 loss to the Luverne Tigers. Brockston Bragg had 2 hits to lead the Rebels at the plate, while Nate Braisted and Austin Johns both added 1 hit and 1 rbi, and Coleman Bragg and Stetson Adcock both scored 1 run.

SOFTBALL:

Brantley rolls over Andalusia 11-0

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs pulled ahead early and

coasted in with an impressive 11-0 win over Andalusia. Kayden Dunn had 3 hits, including 3 home-runs, scored 3 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs, while Ainsley Watts added 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Emory Bush added 2 hits and scored 2 runs; Lauren Hudson added 2 hits and had 2 rbi's; and, Star Edwards added 2 hits and scored 1 run. Lauren Hudson was the winning pitcher as she tossed six innings and struck out seven.

Brantley sweeps Florala 15-0, 15-0

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs made quick work of the Florala Lady Wildcats last week as they swept an area doubleheader by identical scores of 15-0.

In the opener, the Lady Bulldogs scored 15 runs in the top of the first to post a three-inning win. Kaylee Navarre had 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs, while Sheonte Barginere added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 3 rbi's; Emory Bush added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's; Ainsley Watts added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and, Lindsey Wells added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and added 1 rbi. Lauren Hudson pitched a three-inning perfect game with eight strikeouts to get the win inside the circle.

In game two, the Lady Bulldogs scored 10 runs in the first inning and coasted to the big win. Kayden Dunn had 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs at the plate, while Sheonte Barginere added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Kaylee Navarre and Ainsley Watts both added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and, Lauren Hudson and Star Edwards both added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's. Lauren Hudson was the winning pitcher in relief as she tossed two innings and allowed two hits, while striking out three.

New Brockton slips past Samson 5-3

The New Brockton Lady Gamecocks posted a key area win with a 5-3 victory over the Samson Lady Tigers. Shelby Hobbs had 3 hits and 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Gamecocks at the plate, while Mary Beth Smith added 2 hits, including a home run, and Mckenlie Jerkins got the win inside the circle with seven strikeouts in six innings.

Brantley struggles at Dothan tourney

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs competed at a softball tournament in Dothan last weekend and struggled for the first time this season as they dropped three of four games in the 12-team event.

The Lady Bulldogs rallied from an early 3-1 deficit to take the lead, but failed to hold on in an opening round 5-4, eight-inning loss to Rehobeth. Kayden Dunn and Anna Kimbro both had 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi to lead Brantley at the plate, while Lauren Hudson threw 114 pitches over seven and one-third innings and allowed two earned runs on five hits, with five strikeouts.

The Lady Bulldogs managed only two hits and committed four errors in a surprising 8-0 loss to Opp, in game two action. Ainsley Watts and Kayden Dunn had the only Brantley hits in the shutout loss.

The Lady Bulldogs avoided a 'three and out' with an exciting 9-6 win over Providence Christian. Kayden Dunn had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's to lead Brantley at the plate, while Lauren Hudson added 2 hits and had 2 rbi's, Star Edwards added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's, and Anna Kimbro added 2 hits. Lauren Hudson was the winning pitcher as she tossed four innings and allowed only two earned runs.

The Lady Bulldogs were eliminated with a 15-0 loss to undefeated 7A power Spain Park. Emory Bush had the lone Brantley hit in the three-inning loss.

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